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The lion, not in sight now, may be hiding around the corner.

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CHICAGO, March 1.—Kidnaping of a pretty Whiting, Ind., girl, presumably to silence her, was disclosed today as police held the victim's friend for questioning.

The missing girl, Christina Robinson, 17, was wanted by authorities as a witness in impending cases involving alleged mistreatment of herself and operation of a suspected narcotic ring.

The girl in custody is Bonnie Edwards, 19, who was seized in a raid by narcotic agents a month ago.

When police went to Christina's Whiting home two days ago, neighbors told them the girl had been abducted from her front yard a week ago by Bonnie Edwards and three men.

Bonnie returned early today to a Chicago address allegedly used by the drug combine and was promptly arrested. She denied knowledge of Christina's whereabouts.

### START NEW ENGLAND DRIVE FOR SMITH

NEW YORK, Mar. 1.—A strong campaign in New England to elect delegates pledged to former Governor Alfred E. Smith for the Democratic nomination for president was planned here today by Smith supporters.

Vermont will furnish the first contest ground in the fight it was decided at a conference of Smith, Mayor Frank Hague, Jersey City, N. J., and James A. Kennedy, Burlington, Vt.

Vermont will elect its eight delegates at a convention May 18. Smith and Hague also discussed with John J. Curtin, Manchester, New Hampshire, the situation in the latter state.

A delegation of Connecticut mayors was expected to call soon on Smith to urge him to permit a contest for him in that state.

### EXCUSE WITNESS IN PROBE OF MARKET

WASHINGTON, Mar. 1.—After a fifteen minute wrangle in which a strong party element of political maneuvering was involved, the senate banking and currency committee today refused to hear a witness who was waiting to testify against short selling on the New York Stock Exchange.

The witness, William R. Perkins, New York lawyer, was excused and the committee went into executive session to decide whether it would recommend an investigation of the short interests alone or include both bulls and bears in its inquiry.

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At preliminary arraignments, all four already have pleaded guilty. They also have allegedly confessed robbing the Lewistown, O., bank in Logan County, and Mrs. Griffith and Clyde Whitledge are said to have admitted staging a holdup at the Osceola, O., bank in Darke County a few weeks ago.

### REPORT CHINESE IN MANCHURIA REVOLT

MUKDEN, Mar. 1.—The Chinese twenty-first brigade has risen in revolt against the independent Manchurian regime at Ninguta, a few miles below Hailin, Japanese military headquarters here announced today.

Japanese residents of the area are fleeing toward Harbin, the announcement stated, while the rebellious Chinese were reported looting homes along the Chinese Eastern Railway.

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COLUMBUS, O., Mar. 1.—Brig. Gen. Edward Orton Jr., son of the first president of Ohio State University, left an estate of \$265,000 when he died Feb. 10, according to an estimate of his property which had been filed today in probate court.

### "MOST BEAUTIFUL SHOWGIRL" SUES TO DIVORCE JUST PLAIN NEWSPAPERMAN

PITTSBURGH, March 1.—Mark Hellinger, Broadway columnist, and Gladys Glad, "most beautiful showgirl in the world," expect to be divorced, but hope to remain "the best of friends."

Hellinger made this plain today, admitting his wife had filed divorce proceedings in Nogales, Mexico.

He is co-author of a show now playing here.

"She's the greatest kid in the whole world," he said. "I won't contest the suit. I hope we remain friends for life."

### Ancient Indian City Is Found In Arizona

TUCSON, Ariz., March 1.—The ruins of an ancient city, inhabited more than 1,200 years ago and believed to have reached the zenith of its power at the time Leif Ericson sailed out of Norse seas for America, has been unearthed fifteen miles south of Tucson by a party of archaeologists headed by Dr. Byron Cummings, dean of archaeology, University of Arizona, he announced today.

The pueblo, which house several thousand persons, is of the "compound" type, apartments interlocking with each other. Some of the "compounds" were capable of caring for several score families.

The remains of a hill-decayed fort were found on a time nearby, overlooking historic San Xavier Mission, military strategists said.

Pottery discovered, Dr. Cummings said, showed a high degree of civilization, one comparable to the Casa Grande ruins in Arizona or to Pueblo Bonito in New Mexico. The walls of the buildings, some of which were more than one story in height, were built of boulders held in place by caliche, a natural cement.

The mystery of why the city was abandoned puzzled its discoverers. Flood waters or lava pouring from a nearby volcanic hill may have forced the Indians to flee, Dr. Cummings said.

The ruins, located on the San Xavier Indian reservation, have been trampled over for centuries by Papago Indians who little realized that underneath was a city eclipsing in size their present-day towns.

### STATES TO CONTROL UTILITY PIPE LINE CHARGES IS RULING

Supreme Court Gives  
State Commissions  
Rate Weapon

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Another legal milestone had been established today by the supreme court in its decision in the El Dorado Gas Co. case.

The decision, in effect, gives state utilities commissions indirect control over the charges made by interstate pipe lines of giant utilities companies.

With this new power, in the opinion of legal observers, the state utilities commissions have a weapon to prevent unreasonable charges for gas, electricity or telephone service of companies which sell to themselves.

In the El Dorado case, subsidiaries of the Cities Service company owned both the local Kansas Gas company and the pipeline company which sold it gas at the city rate.

The Kansas utility commission said that the local company must show that it was paying the pipeline company a reasonable wholesale rate for gas. The utility said it could not be forced to do this because the pipeline company operated interstate and is beyond the jurisdiction of the state commission.

Justice Roberts, delivering the court's opinion, said:

"Those in control of the situation have combined the intrastate carriage decision with its local distribution in what is in practical effect one organization. There is an absence of arms' length bargaining between the two corporate entities involved, and of all the elements which ordinarily go to fix market value."

"The opportunity exists for one member of the combination to charge the other an unreasonable rate for the gas furnished and thus to make such unfair charge in part the basis of the retail rate."

The court's decision reinforces the court's declarations in the telephone rate case of the city of Chicago and the East Ohio Gas Co. case.

It carries one step further, in the opinion of legal observers, the intention of the court to give as much authority as possible under the constitution to state authority to control utility combinations of interstate character.

### ILLINOIS BANK YIELDS LOOT

BERWYN, Ill., March 1.—Six masked bandits held up the First National Bank and Trust Co. today and escaped in two sedans with \$3,500 loot.

The leader of the gang wore a black mask which completely concealed his features. Faces of the others were covered by handkerchiefs.

TREASURY BALANCE  
WASHINGTON, March 1.—Treasury balance as of Feb. 27 \$431,140,252.23; expenditures \$6,533,345.59. Customs receipts \$21,650,388.06.

### GUESS YOURSELF



Lily Damita, film star, is pictured sailing from Los Angeles for Honolulu. On the same boat, but not booked as a passenger, was Sidney Smith, New York broker. Miss Damita denied published reports that she is to wed Smith.

### TWELVE SUSPECTS HELD IN HONOLULU

HONOLULU, T. H., Mar. 1.—The underworld dragnet in operation again following the attack by a native on Mrs. Kathleen Hope, pretty wife of a United States Navy machinist's mate, today had netted some results.

Of twelve suspicious characters arrested two were held as suspects. They were Orientals.

Naval patrols aided police in combing the city in search of the man who robbed and attacked Mrs. Hope while her husband, John Hope, was enroute to San Pedro, Cal., on the submarine S-28.

As the attacker was masked, and dropped his mask only for a moment, Mrs. Hope gave police only an inadequate description, one, police said, which would fit thousands of natives in Honolulu and which made them skeptical that the real assailant ever would be captured.

Mrs. Hope said she might be able to identify her attacker through his voice which she said had a peculiar nasal twang.

### GOVERNOR WILL ASK TAXING COMMITTEE

COLUMBUS, O., Mar. 1.—Governor George White today was reporting to the time-tested political device called "putting it up to the people" in the matter of deciding whether to call the legislature into special session.

Through a meeting with the general assembly's special taxation committee which he has called for Friday, the governor hopes to sound out public sentiment, both Republican and Democratic, on the question which has harassed him for several months.

Political observers were agreed today that the special taxation committee, headed by Senator Robert A. Taft, (R) of Cincinnati, should know as well as anybody, and better than most, what the legislature can do, by taxing, to relieve unemployment distress.

## NEGOTIATIONS MAKE PROGRESS AS BATTLE RAGING AT SHANGHAI

Chinese Deny Armistice Agreed Upon While Cantonese Government Moves To Declare War; Depth Bomb Incident May Blast Peace Efforts

LONDON, March 1.—An Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Tokyo today said that the Japanese government had accepted the League of Nations council proposal for an armistice conference at Shanghai and had instructed its delegate at Geneva accordingly.

The Exchange Telegraph's Shanghai correspondent, however, reported that negotiations there apparently had struck a snag.

TOKYO, March 1.—The Cantonese government in China is preparing to declare war on Japan in order to assist the nineteenth route army in its defense of Shanghai, the ministry of marine announced today.

The Cantonese government, exercising sovereignty over southern China independent of the Nationalist regime at Nanking and Loyang, was established during the height of civil war strife in China several years ago. Numerous efforts have been made to amalgamate the Cantonese and Nationalist factions, and temporary success was achieved last fall when Eugene Chen, one of the Cantonese leaders, accepted the post of foreign minister in the reorganized Nationalist government after the resignation of President Chiang Kai-Shek.

Efforts to bring about complete union between the two factions, however, have been unavailing.

SHANGHAI, Mar. 1.—Peace negotiations between Japanese and Chinese officials, with neutral power representatives looking on anxiously, continued today to the accompaniment of terrific gunfire and aerial bombardment of Chinese positions.

Both sides appeared pessimistic, although neither commented on the terms being considered, and foreigners realized that the fighting was much more real, at present, than the peace parleys.

The Chinese, through Finance Minister T. V. Soong, denied an armistice had been agreed upon. The Japanese, he said, are not agreeable to the terms to which the Chinese are willing to accede.

Japanese Shigemitsu, declared the peace negotiations were private and indirect, stating that no decision had been reached. He awaited further orders from Tokyo.

Japanese circles appeared to believe that the Japanese army has a better chance of driving the Chinese nineteenth route army out of Shanghai area than have the true makers, while neutral observers, seeing further Japanese attacks, feel assured the Chinese will continue their stubborn resistance and prolong the conflict.

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Idzuma, Flagship of Admiral Yamamoto, Anchored Off the Bund, SHANGHAI, March 1.—The two submarine mines, or depth bombs, which exploded close to two Japanese warships in the Whangpoo River at 1:05 p. m. and 1:10 today, rocking Shanghai like an earthquake, are believed to have been placed in the river under the

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HELSINKI, Finland, March 1.—The Fascist revolt aimed at obtaining the resignation of the entire government appeared definitely broken today when government troops forced a general retreat of rebel armed forces from their two main camps.

While troops used force of arms the cabinet met and proclaimed a ban on all political meetings in Finland and authorized military control of postal and other communications in Nyland and other districts affected.

The government troops surrounded the Tavasthus headquarters with the intention of arresting four leaders of the Lappo (Fascist) organization, but found they had fled to the north of Finland.

### CHINESE GENERAL RELEASED BY JAPS

SHANGHAI, Mar. 1.—General Ken Aang, young Chinese officer and West Point graduate, arrested Saturday by Japanese authorities when found "looking around" the Japanese consulate, was given his freedom today after protests had been made by Chinese and American circles.

The general was escorted to the border of the Japanese zone in a motor car and released.

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At preliminary arraignments, all four already have pleaded guilty. They also have allegedly confessed robbing the Lewistown, O., bank in Logan County, and Mrs. Griffith and Clyde Whitledge are said to have admitted staging a holdup at the Osgood, O., bank in Darke County a few weeks ago.

### REPORT CHINESE IN MANCHURIA REVOLT

MUKDEN, Mar. 1.—The Chinese twenty-first brigade has risen in revolt against the independent Manchurian regime at Ninguta, a few miles below Halbin, Japanese military headquarters here announced today.

Japanese residents of the area are fleeing toward Harbin, the announcement stated, while the rebellious Chinese were reported looting homes along the Chinese Eastern Railway.

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COLUMBUS, O., Mar. 1.—Brig. Gen. Edward Orton Jr., son of the first president of Ohio State University, left an estate of \$265,000 when he died Feb. 10, according to an estimate of his property which had been filed today in probate court.

### "MOST BEAUTIFUL SHOWGIRL" SUES TO DIVORCE JUST PLAIN NEWSPAPERMAN

PITTSBURGH, March 1.—Mark Hellinger, Broadway columnist, and Gladys Glad, "most beautiful showgirl in the world," expect to be divorced.

Miss Glad was in Cincinnati today, appearing on the stage.

"We agreed to disagree," she said in a telephone interview. "We are still the best of friends."

"Mark and I talked it over and decided it was the best thing to do. We shall remain friends and we hope to continue our respective work."

Hellinger married Miss Glad in 1929 after she won the prize in an Atlantic City beauty contest in which Hellinger was a judge.

### Ancient Indian City Is Found In Arizona

TUCSON, Ariz., March 1.—The ruins of an ancient city, inhabited more than 1,200 years ago and believed to have reached the zenith of its power at the time Leif Ericson sailed out of Norse seas for America, has been unearthed fifteen miles south of Tucson by a party of archaeologists headed by Dr. Byron Cummings, dean of archaeology, University of Arizona, he announced today.

The pueblo, which house several thousand persons, is of the "compound" type, apartments interlocking with each other. Some of the "compounds" were capable of caring for several score families.

The remains of a time-decayed fort were found on a hill nearby, overlooking historic San Xavier Mission, military strategists said.

Pottery discovered, Dr. Cummings said, showed a high degree of civilization, one comparable to the Casa Grande ruins in Arizona or to Pueblo Bonito in New Mexico. The walls of the buildings, some of which were more than one story in height, were built of boulders held in place by caliche, a natural cement.

The mystery of why the city was abandoned puzzled its discoverers. Flood waters or lava pouring from a nearby volcanic hill may have forced the Indians to flee, Dr. Cummings said.

The ruins, located on the San Xavier Indian reservation, have been trampled over for centuries by Papago Indians who little realized that underneath was a city eclipsing in size their present-day towns.

### STATES TO CONTROL UTILITY PIPE LINE CHARGES IS RULING

Supreme Court Gives  
State Commissions  
Rate Weapon

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Another legal milestone had been established today by the supreme court in its decision in the El Dorado Gas Co. case.

The decision, in effect, gives state utilities commissions indirect control over the charges made by interstate pipe lines of giant utilities companies.

With this new power, in the opinion of legal observers, the state utilities commissions have a weapon to prevent unreasonable charges for gas, electricity or telephone service of companies which sell to themselves.

In the El Dorado case, subsidiaries of the Cities Service company owned both the local Kansas Gas company and the pipeline company which sold it gas at the city rate.

The Kansas utility commission said that the local company must show that it was paying the pipeline company a reasonable wholesale rate for gas. The utility said it could not be forced to do this because the pipeline company operated interstate and is beyond the jurisdiction of the state commission.

Justice Roberts, delivering the court's opinion, said:

"Those in control of the situation have combined the intrastate carriage of the commodity with its local distribution in what is in practical effect one organization. There is an absence of arms' length bargaining between the two corporate entities involved, and of all the elements which ordinarily go to fix market value."

"The opportunity exists for one member of the combination to charge the other an unreasonable rate for the gas furnished and thus to make such unfair charge in part the basis of the retail rate."

The decision reinforces the court's declarations in the telephone rate case of the city of Chicago and the East Ohio Gas Co. case.

It carries one step further, in the opinion of legal observers, the intention of the court to give as much authority as possible under the constitution to state authority to control utility combinations of interstate character.

### ILLINOIS BANK YIELDS LOOT

BERWYN, Ill., March 1.—Six masked bandits held up the First National Bank and Trust Co. today and escaped in two sedans with \$3,500 loot.

The leader of the gang wore a black mask which completely concealed his features. Faces of the bandits were covered by handkerchiefs.

TREASURY BALANCE  
WASHINGTON, March 1.—Treasury balance as of Feb. 27 \$431,140,252.23; expenditures \$6,533,345.59. Customs receipts \$21,650,388.06.

### GUESS YOURSELF



Lily Damita, film star, is pictured sailing from Los Angeles for Honolulu. On the same boat, but not booked as a passenger, was Sidney Smith, New York broker. Miss Damita denied published reports that she is to wed Smith.

### TWELVE SUSPECTS HELD IN HONOLULU

HONOLULU, T. H., Mar. 1.—The underworld dragnet in operation again following the attack by a native on Mrs. Kathleen Hope, pretty and crippled wife of a United States Navy machinist's mate, today had netted some results.

Of twelve suspicious characters arrested two were held as suspects. They were Orientals.

Naval patrols added police in combing the city in search of the man who robbed and attacked Mrs. Hope while her husband, John Hope, was enroute to San Pedro, Cal., on the submarine S-28.

As the attacker was masked, and dropped his mask only for a moment, Mrs. Hope gave police only an inadequate description, one, police said, which would fit thousands of natives in Honolulu and which made them skeptical that the real assailant ever would be captured.

Mrs. Hope said she might be able to identify her attacker through his voice which she said had a peculiar nasal twang.

### GOVERNOR WILL ASK TAXING COMMITTEE

COLUMBUS, O., Mar. 1.—Governor George White today was resorting to the time-tested political device called "putting it up to the people" in the matter of deciding whether to call the legislature into special session.

Through a meeting with the general assembly's special taxation committee which he has called for Friday, the governor hopes to sound out public sentiment, both Republican and Democratic, on the question which has harassed him for several months.

Political observers were agreed today that the special taxation committee, headed by Senator Robert A. Taft, (R) of Cincinnati, should know as well as anybody, and better than most, what the legislature can do, by taxing, to relieve unemployment distress.

## NEGOTIATIONS MAKE PROGRESS AS BATTLE RAGING AT SHANGHAI

Chinese Deny Armistice Agreed Upon While Cantonese Government Moves To Declare War; Depth Bomb Incident May Blast Peace Efforts

LONDON, March 1.—An Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Tokyo today said that the Japanese government had accepted the League of Nations council proposal for an armistice conference at Shanghai and had instructed its delegate at Geneva accordingly.

The Exchange Telegraph's Shanghai correspondent, however, reported that negotiations there apparently had struck a snag.

TOKYO, March 1.—The Cantonese government in China is preparing to declare war on Japan in order to assist the nineteenth route army in its defense of Shanghai, the ministry of marine announced today.

The Cantonese government, exercising sovereignty over southern China independent of the Nationalist regime at Nanking and Loyang, was established during the height of civil war strife in China several years ago. Numerous efforts have been made to amalgamate the Cantonese and Nationalist factions, and temporary success was achieved last fall when Eugene Chen, one of the Cantonese leaders, accepted the post of foreign minister in the reorganized Nationalist government after the resignation of President Chiang Kai-Shek.

Efforts to bring about complete union between the two factions, however, have been unavailing.

SHANGHAI, Mar. 1.—Peace negotiations between Japanese and Chinese officials, with neutral power representatives looking on anxiously, continued today to the accompaniment of terrific gunfire and aerial bombardment of Chinese positions.

Both sides appeared pessimistic, although neither commented on the terms being considered, and foreigners realized that the fighting was much more real at present than the peace parleys.

The Chinese, through Finance Minister T. Y. Soong, denied an armistice had been agreed upon. The Japanese, he said, are not agreeable to the terms to which the Chinese are willing to accede.

Japanese Minister to China Mamoru Shigemitsu, declared the peace negotiations were private and indirect, stating that no decision had been reached. He awaited further orders from Tokyo.

Japanese circles appeared to believe that the Japanese army has a better chance of driving the Chinese nineteenth route army out of Shanghai area than have the true makers, while neutral observers, seeing further Japanese attacks, feel assured the Chinese will continue their stubborn resistance and prolong the conflict.

By FLOYD GIBBONS  
International News Service  
Staff Correspondent  
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Chicago	40	54
Denver	38	58
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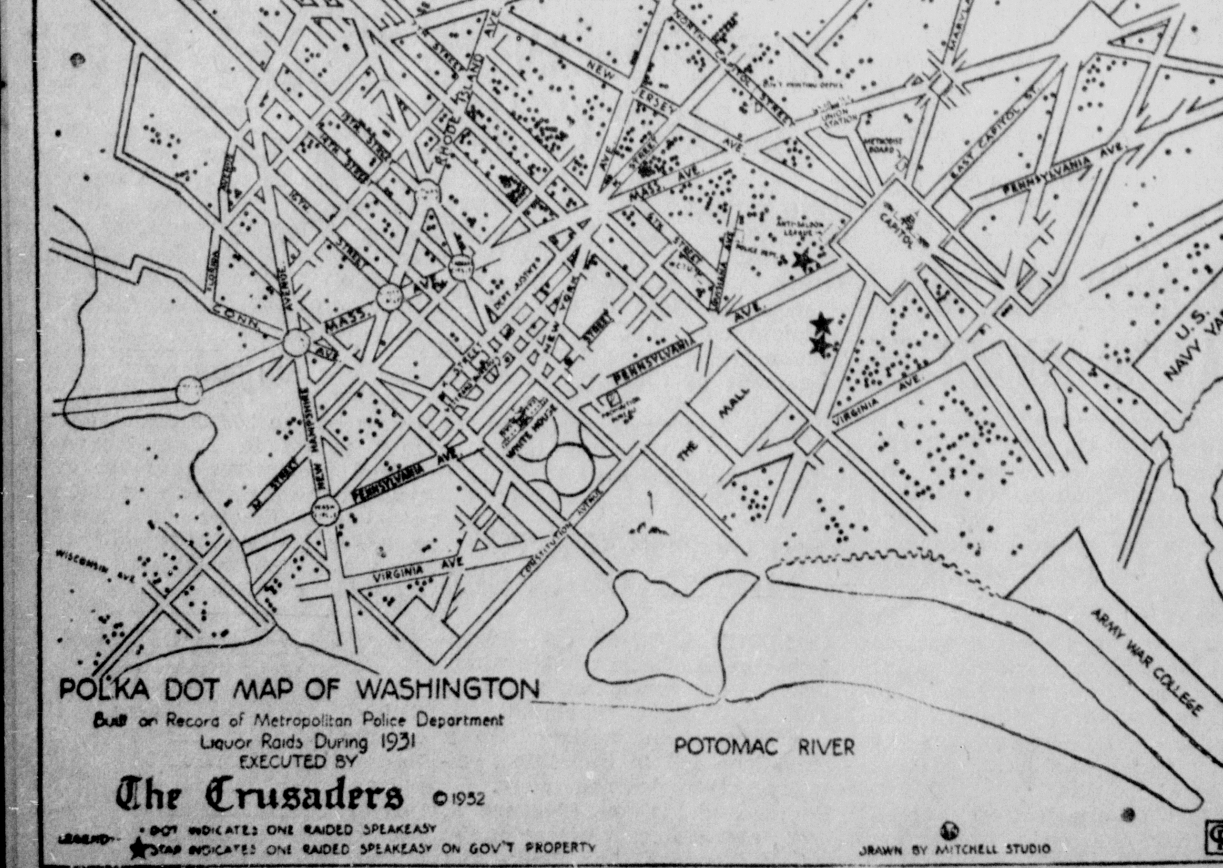
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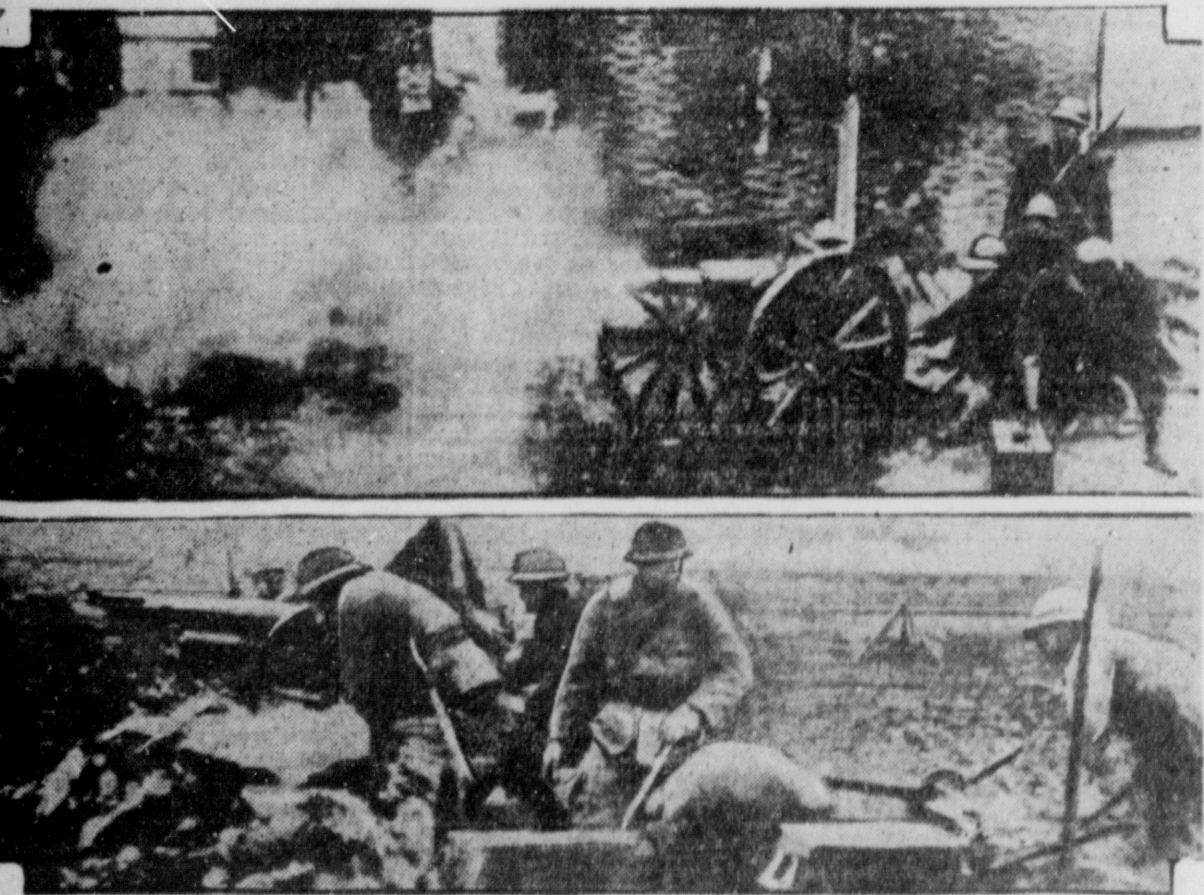
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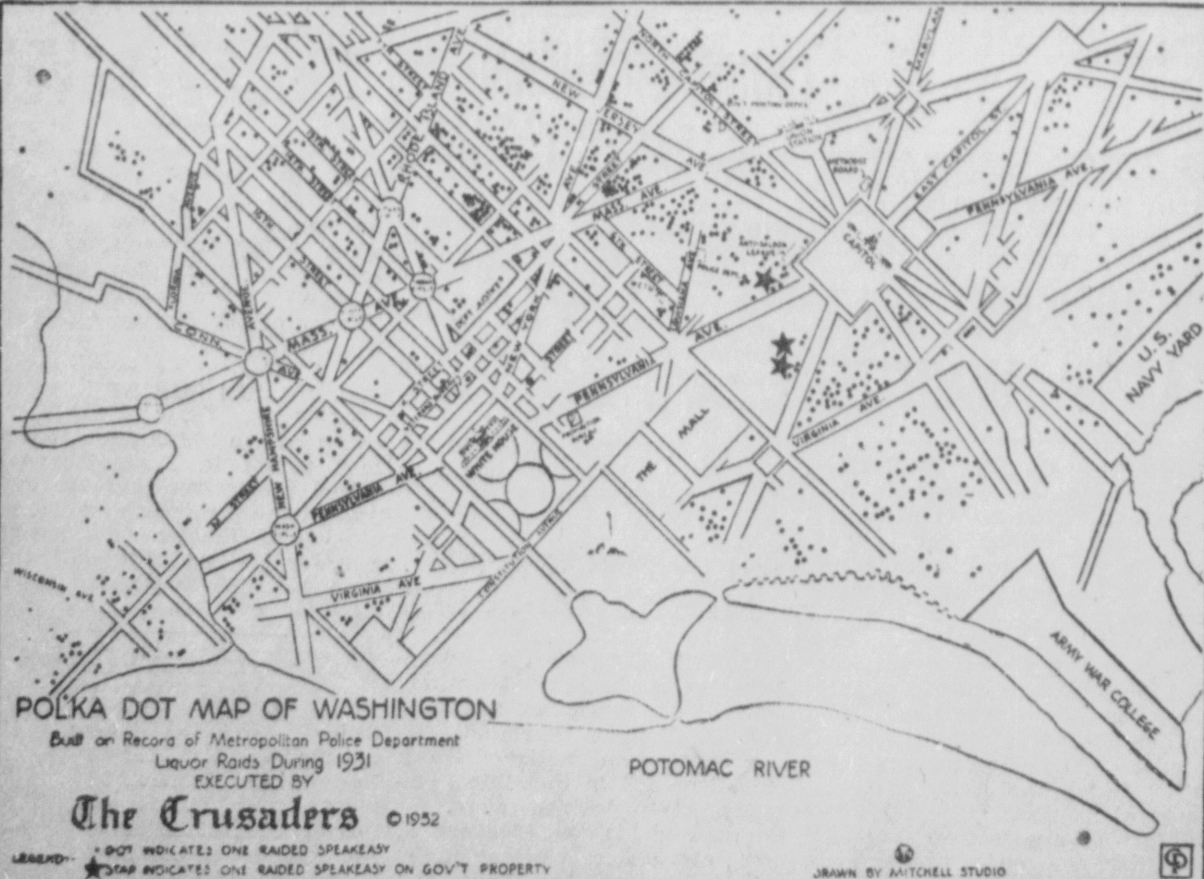
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### MISSIONARY SOCIETY

**ELECTS OFFICERS FRIDAY.**  
Mrs. J. P. Lytle, was elected president of the Woman's Missionary Society of the First U. P. Church at the regular meeting of the society in the church parlors Friday afternoon. She succeeds Mrs. C. H. Ervin.

Other officers elected were: Mrs. Carl Marshall, first vice president; Mrs. Mary Bell, second vice president; Mrs. Arthur Dean, secretary; Mrs. Walter Nash, treasurer; Mrs. John P. White, thank offering secretary; Mrs. Jeannette Ervin, literature secretary; Mrs. M. A. Hagler, temperance secretary; Mrs. E. R. Andrew, secretary of Women's Association work; Mrs. H. W. Bavey, superintendent of junior work.

Mrs. M. A. Hagler conducted a praise service at the opening of the meeting and chapters from the study book, "God and the Census," were interestingly reviewed by Mrs. Walter Nash and Mrs. Frank Gill. The society will be hostess to the executive committee of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Xenia Presbyterian at the church here Friday. The meeting will open at 10:45 a. m. and luncheon will be served by the Ladies' Aid Society of the church.

### SURPRISE PARTY IS

#### ARRANGED FOR BIRTHDAY

Mr. Lawrence Filson, W. Main St., was pleasantly surprised by a group of friends at his home Sunday evening in honor of his birthday. A covered dish supper was served and later games and contests were enjoyed.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Guy Snider and family, Dayton; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Clark and son, Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Burgess Crumrine and children, Junior and Betty Lou, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Coy, Messrs. Howard Gastiger, Ralph Gastiger, Kenneth Gastiger, Clara and Betty Gastiger, Mr. and Mrs. Filson and children, James, Buddy and Paul.

### I. G. F. CLUB IS

#### ENTERTAINED HERE.

Sixty members and friends of the Independent Good Fellowship Club were entertained at a banquet by Mr. Pete Deller, at the Green Garden Restaurant, at the I. O. O. F. Hall, W. Main St., Friday evening. A short program of impromptu talks followed the banquet.

Mrs. Harper Hartsook, Wilmington Pike, has returned home after spending several days with her cousin, Mrs. J. H. Dakin, N. Detroit St., who has been seriously ill. Mrs. Anna Black, Kansas City, Mo., and Mr. Merrick Dakin, Davenport, Ia., have been called here by the illness of their mother.

The Cedrine Club will meet at the home of Mrs. J. M. Bull, W. Church St., Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Harry Herring, N. West St., is confined to her home suffering from the grip.

Mrs. Grover C. Mendenhall, Main and West Sts., is ill at her home suffering from an attack of the grip.

Mr. Joe Levering, Miss Zaidah B. Weir and Miss Margaret Kuhn, of Mt. Vernon, spent Sunday with Miss Weir's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burt Weir, W. Second St.

The Missionary Society of the United Brethren Church will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Harry Stephens, S. Monroe St.

The Richland Community Club will meet Thursday evening at the school. A covered dish supper will be served at 7 o'clock and a program will be presented later. Each family in the community is invited and is asked to bring a covered dish and table service.

The Downtown Country Club will hold its regular bi-monthly meeting at Treble Tavern, Dayton Pike, Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Lulu Robinson and grandson, Robert Baird, Washington C. H. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Frazer and family, W. Church St., Monday.

## CHEVROLET LEADS THEM ALL

Complete registration figures for the full year of 1931, recently announced, reveal that for the first time in the history of the automobile, a six cylinder car led the industry in popular favor.

During the year Chevrolet titled 583,387 six cylinder cars compared with 528,539 titled by the runner-up, a lower-priced four cylinder make. Of the total of 1,908,016 passenger cars registered in the domestic market, Chevrolet obtained more than thirty per cent, the largest proportion of available business ever enjoyed by this largest producing division of General Motors.

Complete returns reveal that in 1931 Chevrolet obtained within five per cent of the same volume of business as in 1930, while the second leading make slumped fifty per cent and the industry as a whole 27 per cent from the preceding year.

During 1927 Chevrolet also led the industry in total volume of sales, although in that year a lull existed in the low-priced car market. But in 1931, in the highly competitive conditions existing throughout the industry, the company forged ahead early in the year and maintained its leadership by a margin which widened month by month.

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Mr. and Mrs. Elmer A. Vance, W. Church St., are spending a few days in Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Conwell, Chestnut St., returned home Sunday from Portsmouth, O., where they spent several days with their son-in-law and daughter, the Rev. and Mrs. O. G. Bond. The Rev. Mr. Bond underwent a serious operation at Central Hospital, Portsmouth, three weeks ago, but is now recovering favorably.

Mrs. Fred Haines, Upper Bellbrook Pike, who has been ill following a relapse from scarlet fever, is slowly improving and is able to be up each day.

Mr. Walter Woolley, near New Jasper, underwent an operation for the removal of his tonsils at the office of a local physician Tuesday morning.

Mr. Ben Chambliss, Charles St., who has been ill at his home the past three weeks suffering from pneumonia and complications, is now improving.

Funeral services for Mrs. N. J. Moore, formerly Miss Elsie Munger, of near Xenia, who died at her home in Sidney early Monday morning, will be held at her home there Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial will be made in a Sidney cemetery.

Mr. Edward Wittenmyer, of Peoria, O., spent the week end here as the guest of Mrs. Pearl Wittenmyer, N. Galloway St.

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Mrs. Jesse Chambliss, 35 California St., who has been ill at her home several months, is now suffering from heart trouble.

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## BANK LIQUIDATION LAUNCHED BY STATE BANKING OFFICERS

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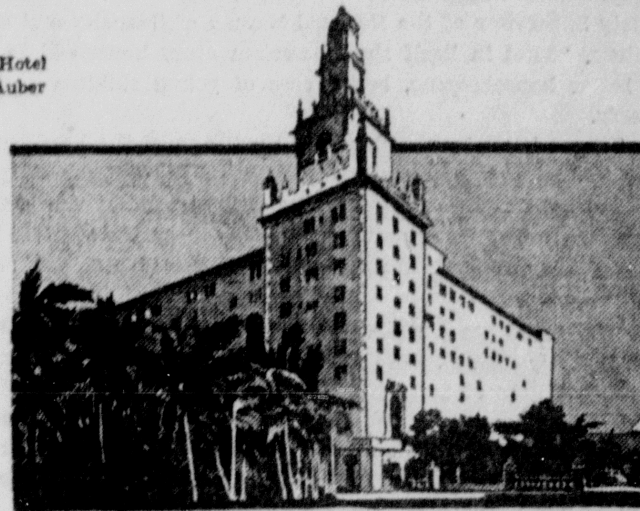
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### MISSIONARY SOCIETY ELECTS OFFICERS FRIDAY.

Mrs. J. P. Lytle, was elected president of the Woman's Missionary Society of the First U. P. Church at the regular meeting of the society in the church parlors Friday afternoon. She succeeds Mrs. C. H. Ervin.

Other officers elected were: Mrs. Carl Marshall, first vice president; Mrs. Mary Bell, second vice president; Mrs. Arthur Dean, secretary; Mrs. Walter Nash, treasurer; Mrs. John P. White, thank offering secretary; Mrs. Jeanette Ervin, literature secretary; Mrs. M. A. Hagler, temperance secretary; Mrs. E. R. Andrew, secretary of Women's Association work; Mrs. H. W. Eavey, superintendent of junior work.

Mrs. M. A. Hagler conducted a praise service at the opening of the meeting and chapters from the study book, "God and the Census," were interestingly reviewed by Mrs. Walter Nash and Mrs. Frank Gill. The society will be hostess to the executive committee of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Xenia Presbyterial at the church here Friday. The meeting will open at 10:45 a. m. and luncheon will be served by the Ladies' Aid Society of the church.

### SURPRISE PARTY IS ARRANGED FOR BIRTHDAY

Mr. Lawrence Filson, W. Main St., was pleasantly surprised by a group of friends at his home Sunday evening in honor of his birthday. A covered dish supper was served and later games and contests were enjoyed.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Guy Snider and family, Dayton; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Clark and son, Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Burgess Crumline and children, Junior and Betty Lou, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Coy, Messrs. Howard Gastiger, Ralph Gastiger, Kenneth Gastiger, Clara and Betty Gastiger, Mr. and Mrs. Filson and children, James, Buddy and Paul.

### I. G. F. CLUB IS ENTERTAINED HERE

Sixty members and friends of the Independent Good Fellowship Club were entertained at a banquet by Mr. Pete Dallas, of the Green Garden Restaurant, at the I. O. O. F. Hall, W. Main St., Friday evening. A short program of impromptu talks followed the banquet.

Mrs. Harper Hartscock, Wilmington Pike, has returned home after spending several days with her cousin, Mrs. J. H. Dakin, N. D. St., who has been seriously ill. Mrs. Anna Black, Kansas City, Mo., and Mr. Merrick Dakin, Dayton, Ia., have been called here by the illness of their mother.

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The Missionary Society of the United Brethren Church will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Harry Stephens, S. Monroe St.

The Richland Community Club will meet Thursday evening at the school. A covered dish supper will be served at 7 o'clock and a program will be presented later. Each family in the community is invited and is asked to bring a covered dish and table service.

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Mrs. Lulu Robinson and grandson, Robert Baird, Washington C. H., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Frazer and family, W. Church St., Monday.

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Complete registration figures for the full year of 1931, recently announced, reveal that for the first time in the history of the automobile, a six cylinder car led the industry in popular favor.

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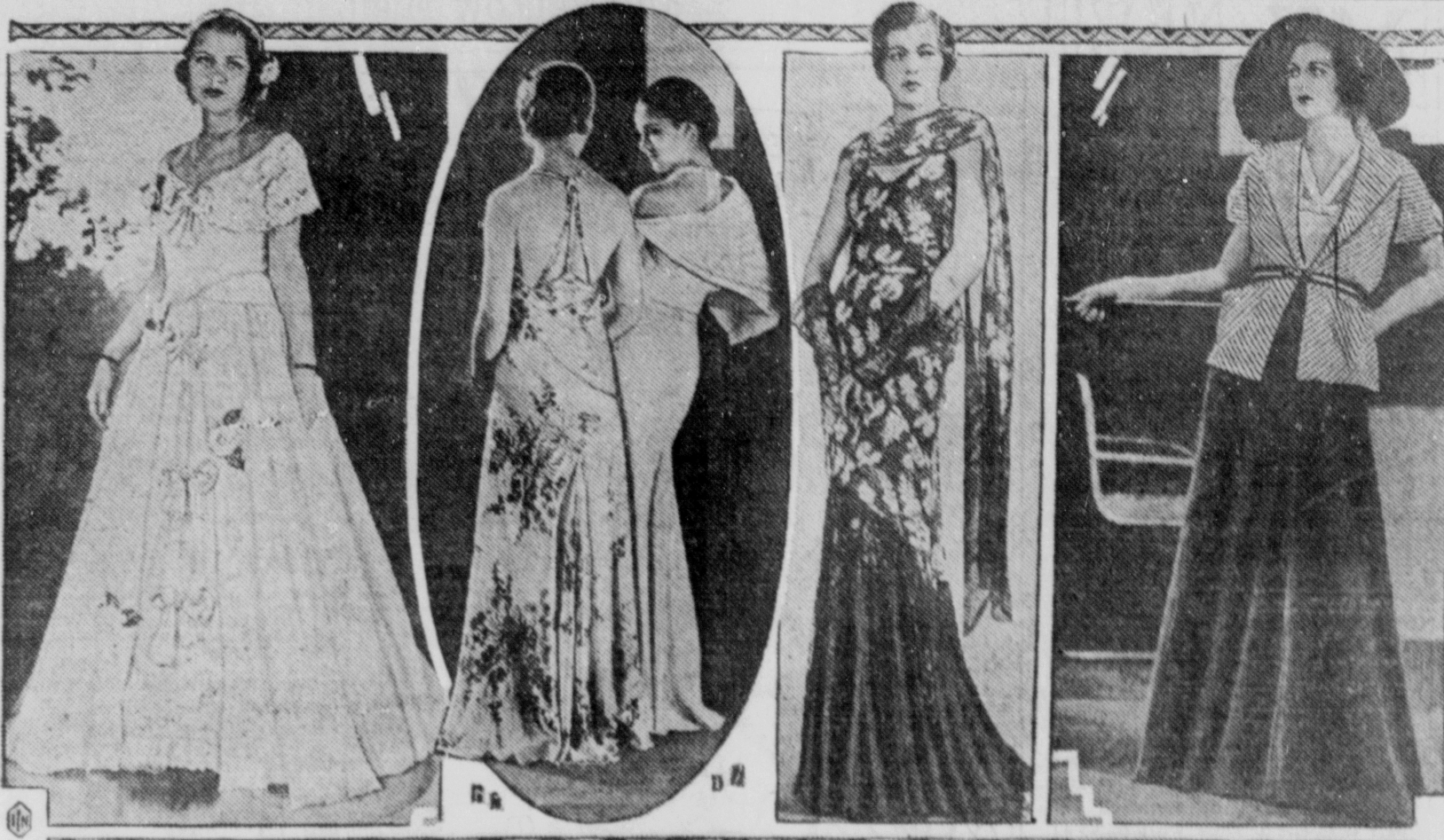
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COLUMBUS, O., Mar. 1.—Gen. Jacob S. Coxey, Mayor of Massillon, today informed Secretary of State Clarence J. Brown that he will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for United States senator from Ohio. Coxey will also enter the G. O. P. presidential preference contest in Ohio at the May 10 primaries.

## EAST END NEWS

MRS. JAMES HARRIS  
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The revival meeting at the Zion Baptist Church swung into its second week with three big services Sunday and a marked evidence of the increase of spirituality among its members.

The pastor, the Rev. M. M. D. Perdue, who is the evangelist, spoke very convincingly on the subject: "Only Guessing." Rev. Foot of the Middle Run Baptist Church assisted the pastor very ably in conducting the devotional period. The subjects for the discourses

in this meeting are taken from the titles of current popular songs and are proving interesting to the splendid crowds attending each night.

In discussing "Only Guessing," the preacher compared the remarkable achievements of human knowledge from the earliest dawn of history to the present. Man was declared to have made progress in every conceivable field of endeavor but in the field of spiritual effort he was, and is, in all ages and climes, an infant in the things of the spirit except God be revealed to him by divine revelation. It was stated that men's efforts to scoff at the God of heaven and earth were merely futile guesses of a disordered and deranged soul. They were encouraged to see God as he is revealed in Jesus Christ and to accept Jesus, not merely historically but as the Lord of their lives. The subject for tonight is "The Thrill Is Gone." This promises to be a most interesting sermon. You are invited to come. Mrs. Ona Coffey, Evans Ave., is among the stick this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hasty have moved into the property purchased from Mr. and Mrs. Guy Leach, E. Main St.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Harris, E. Market St., Miss Lucretia Jones, Mrs. Elizabeth Lane, and Mrs. Bertha Booth took advantage of the excursion to Chicago Saturday evening returning Monday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Harris and Miss Jones visited with Mr. Harris' brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clarke. Mr. Harris had not seen his sister for twenty years. Mrs. Booth visited her son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. William Harris and Mrs. Lane visited her sister, Mrs. Lulu Clark.

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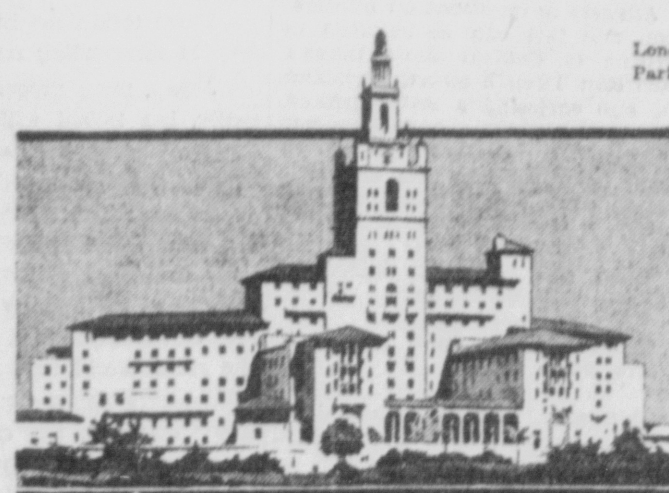
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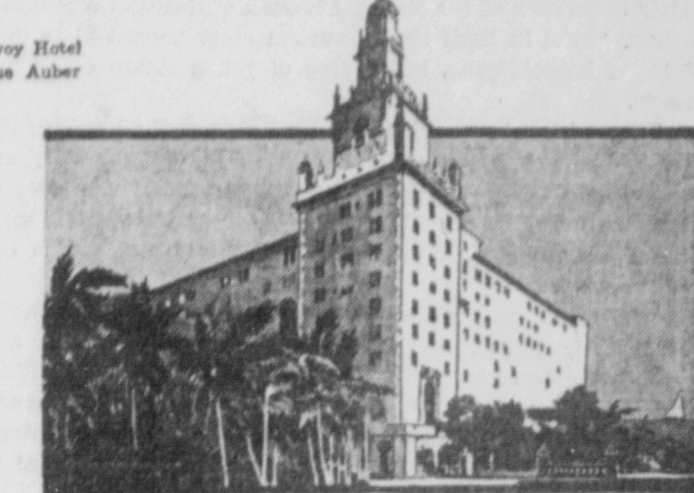
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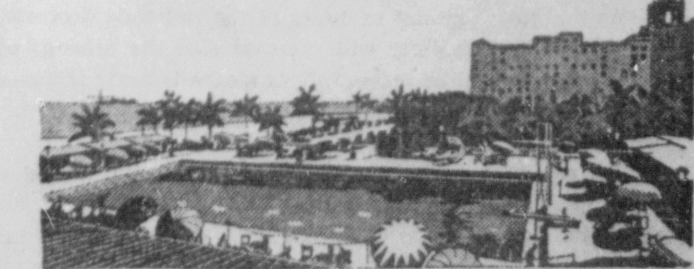
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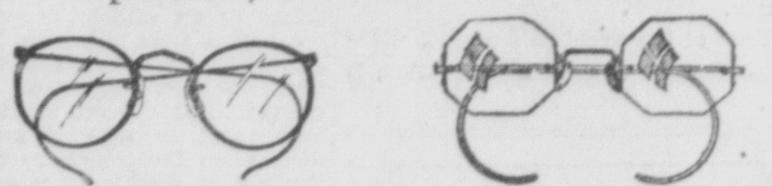
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## BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Neither shalt thou swear by thy head, because thou canst not make one hair white or black.—Matthew, v, 36.

## ENGLAND'S DECISION

Advocates of the United States declaring an economic boycott of Japan or joining in such a boycott if initiated by the League of Nations, will do well to ponder Great Britain's decision in this connection, as enunciated by Sir John Simon. Under date of Feb. 23, the New York Times' correspondent in London cabled his paper:

"Under no circumstance will this country (Great Britain) participate in an economic blockade against Japan as provided by Article XVI of the League Covenant. Sir John and Mr. Tardieu may be depended upon to exert all their powers and influence to prevent any such blockade as a result of the League Assembly deliberations.

"They are determined not to allow a lot of small nations, who have no stake whatever in the commerce of China and would escape the brunt of war in the Far East should there be one, stampeding the great powers into hostilities or imposing sanctions which might cause hostilities.

"That is the definite policy of the British Government and it will adhere to it regardless of assertions that this country (Great Britain), as a member of the League, will abide by its decision."

Great Britain and France do not allow sentimentality or even their membership in the League of Nations to interfere with their carrying on business as usual.

A British political leader is quoted as adding:

"America is not going to pull our chestnuts out of the fire by fighting Japan and letting us manufacture munitions for the United States Army and Navy. The day has gone by when the British policy was to run around the world backing under dogs just because we had plenty of warships to spare for such jobs whenever and wherever they happened."

America will not pull other people's chestnuts out of the fire if it keeps its head as squarely on its shoulders as Great Britain, France, Italy and other European countries are keeping theirs.

## QUESTION OF MORALS?

A mob of angry women in New Orleans has just put a man in the hospital for insinuating that one of its members was immoral because she appeared on the streets stockinged. We don't like to see even the ladies take the law into their own hands; but if anyone deserves to be crowned with a sledge hammer it is the man or woman who imputes immorality to the woman or man who finds stockings a bore in the balmy climate of the Crescent City.

Stockings or no stockings is a question of style or comfort; certainly not one of morality. A woman's morals are not in her legs. Yet every radical innovation in her dress has had to fight its way through this same line of resistance, where men have dug themselves in and sprayed the wives and daughters of other men with the mud of insinuation collected from their own minds. The human leg is no more moral in a stocking than without one. Going stockinged is a result, not a cause.

When dug down to, woman's morality—and man's for that matter, too—was probably not very different in the days of Victorian upholstery from what it is in this day of greater freedom and comfort in dress. The Crusaders, who put their women in harness when they went off to the wars, are dead and gone; but their mentality survives in spots, as the incident in New Orleans so unpleasantly shows.

## ENLIST THE HOME FOR SAFETY

The Federal, State and municipal governments may legislate for accident prevention, the police may seek unrelentingly to enforce it, schools may teach safety, and associations may advocate it, but really effective results can never be obtained until the American home is enlisted wholeheartedly in the cause.

The home is the keystone of the Nation's safety arch. It is the first line of offense against an enemy which annually kills 100,000 persons, injures 3,000,000 or more and produces an economic loss running into the millions.

"Nearly one-third of the 560,000 accident fatalities of the last decade actually happened in the homes," says Dr. Herbert J. Stack, Safety Supervisor of the National Bureau of Casualty and Surety Underwriters. "That in itself should awaken every household to the necessity of better housekeeping, better care of young children and better safeguards."

"There is an inescapable duty resting upon the heads of the nation's families. In the last analysis they have the responsibility of teaching safety habits and attitudes to the children. What the child absorbs in the home colors its after-life and if lessons there are lax, the child will be found deficient when it comes to safety problems of our modern civilization.

"Accidents are a serious menace to our national life and far reaching in their effects. Surely, something is wrong when in a single ten years, the lives of more than half a million persons, one-fifth of whom are children, can be snuffed out. As bad as wars are, if we add together all the deaths of American soldiers on the battlefields during the combats of the last two hundred years of our history, the total will not be that of loss through accidents during the period named."

## TRANSPORTATION BY AUTO

A point often disregarded in considering the effect of competition by motor trucks and busses on the railroads is that of taxation directly affecting the people. The Indiana Public Service Commission has recently had before it an application that illustrates the possibility of a community seeking what it regards as more convenient transportation service, at a price it does not realize it is committing itself to pay.

The application was from a motor truck company for permission to parallel a railway already providing freight service between two points in Indiana. The Commission looked into the matter and discovered that the trucks would pay, at most, a tax of \$75 a year, at the point of ownership, although the cost of highway maintenance in Indiana had gone up from \$564 a mile in 1929 to \$604 a mile in 1930, a result largely of the operation of heavy trucks. Whereas the railway company paid in the three counties affected taxes totaling \$179,677 a year, which worked out at \$2.75 for every man, woman and child in those counties. The Commission observed:

"As the gross and net revenues of the railroads decrease, the assessment of railroad property will decrease and the amount of taxes paid by the railroads will be reduced. This means but one thing—an increased rate for every taxpayer, whose property, in many cases, has already been taxed at its true cash value."

The rise of automotive transportation has introduced a new phase in the general transportation situation in this country, which will require time and patience and sympathetic study to adjust to the greatest benefit to the public, without injury to any of the other parties concerned. The Indiana Public Service Commission has contributed to that study a principle of public policy of vital interest to taxpayers.

## MY NEW YORK

By JAMES ASWELL

NEW YORK. — This is written on a portable typewriter. After years of pounding on the large standard machines, I feel almost that it is committing assault to punch the keyboard of this frantic midget. For one thing, it gives the impression of working so hard—twice as conscientiously as the guy who is flailing it. Actually, the machine's performance is quite indistinguishable from that of its big brother. But in effect it gulps down polysyllables with the brave earnestness of a small boy surrounding his daily helping of spinach.

To poets whose script is illegible and who flinch from the crass mechanism of the standard typewriter, I recommend a portable. In fact, I would not be surprised to learn that the trouble with today's column, down to here, was simply the wistful yearning of the keys to lilt into a sonnet.

## HAND AND FOOT NOTES

Kate Smith, the singer of torch ballads to the ether, is, they tell me, sensitive about her excessive weight. . . . The truth is that avoirdupois may be closely linked to the magic which brings Kate her four-figure weekly check. . . . My doctor declares that the vocal chords of folk who tend toward obesity are likely to be of the small, vibrant, singer type. . . . On the other hand my own left, which has been mounting disconcertingly through recent years, seems to be no case in point. . . . The wagon would draw up to my door at the first note I sang, and with cause. . . .

The sale of cosmetics has suddenly picked up throughout the world. I am told by a large drug wholesaler—and in the queerest places, too: Cuba, where political upheavals have embarrassed business of late, and in Shanghai, where you know what has been going on! . . . According to statisticians, it is about time as you read these words for a new national radio smash to hit the air. . . . Enormously successful microphone acts occur, with astonishing regularity, about once every 45 days. . . . Don't ask me who or how. . . .

A new novel of the "daring" (and invariably dull) variety, is being advertised in the local papers under the catchline: "BANNED EXTENSIVELY ABROAD!" . . . A deaf and dumb barber in one of the financial district shops has a little sign posted on the mirror in front of his chair: "I never annoy you with talk." . . . Patrons write down their wishes on a pad provided for the purpose. . . .

## THINGS SEEN

The winter moon, in its last quarter, glimpsed through the spires of St. Marks in the Bowery. . . . Mid-winter street sailings, lacking the gaiety of summer departures, business-like and a little sad. . . . The high rim of Manhattan, toward which trains plunge underground from the bleak desolation of Jersey marshes.

## SUMMING UP

Marriages which end in Reno are now characterized, among the smart young sophisticates where they occur oftenest, as "noble experiments."

## THE QUESTION BOX

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## GRAB BAG

When was the dollar introduced into the United States?

What kind of money is used in Porto Rico?

Has any country modeled a banking system upon our Federal Reserve Bank?

Correctly Speaking—"Heap" or "heaps" are vulgarisms for very much, a great deal, or a great many.

Today's Anniversary On this day, in 1869, Brand Whitlock, an American diplomat and author, was born.

Today's Horoscope Persons born on this day have strong, clear minds, and great abilities.

Answers to Foregoing Questions 1. The dollar was introduced into America by the Dutch West India trade before the Revolution. 2. Both American and Spanish money is used in Porto Rico, but the American is the official currency. 3. Peru has the Banco de Reserva del Peru, an institution which was modeled upon the Federal Reserve Bank of the United States.

Note: The following pamphlets may be obtained by sending 10 cents in coin and a large stamped self-addressed envelope for each to Central Press Bureau, P. O. Box 126 Washington, D. C.: "Who's Who in Hollywood," "Seeing Washington," "Swimming," "Charles P. Stewart's Treatise on 'Our Government,'" and "The World War."

## THE YELLOW PERIL



## Note And Comment

In this column will appear from day to day articles written by various individuals not on the staff or associated with this paper. These articles will be constructive in nature and presented with the hope that they may give our readers a broader understanding of matters of interest, local, state, national and international. As these articles will not originate with us they will be submitted without our assuming any responsibility for the information given or for the opinions expressed. We trust and believe they will prove to be interesting and informative.

## CHINA AND JAPAN

As a nation that has never been an aggressor, the sympathies of the people of the United States must largely lie with China in the great conflict now raging in Shanghai.

While many consider the great tragedy as somewhat of a family quarrel in which we know very little of a real cause, still we must give China the same right to national life and expression as is demanded by other nations.

While the Japanese and Chinese are both orientals and closely related in their appearance, in their habits, and in their earlier traditions, still there is a much greater difference between them than between Germany and Austria, and certainly fully as great as between France and Italy.

The Japanese have been quicker mentally and have adapted themselves to modern civilization much faster than the Chinese. The Japanese are not so strong in initiative and in inventive genius as they have been in imitation and adaptability.

Japan is unfortunately a very small territory for such a prolific people, their need for territory in which to expand is very great, their economic necessities are no doubt alarming. It is just such conditions and incentives that have made nations aggressors ever since the Christian era began.

As against this, China, who has vast territory and an equally prolific population, has been slow to emerge from her traditions as an empire and has shown little ability to form a real republic. In this connection we must remember that the Orientals were an organized people long before the time of Christ.

China has become a nation of clans and groups, dominated by war lords, who are able to maintain their own armies of defense and aggression.

She has not as yet had the urge or the ability to develop a real national consciousness and a national administration strong enough to bring all the discordant and selfish groups together in a common cause.

These conditions have left China more or less helpless and an easy prey to surrounding nations. Japan, more progressive and more capable of producing a national entity, has looked with longing eyes on the territory of China just across a narrow sea, and on the Chinese themselves as consumers of Japan's industrial products.

In need of territory for an ever-growing population, of customers for her commerce and industry and of gold for her treasury, Japan apparently could not withstand the opportunity to move into Manchuria, a country of itself many times the size of Japan, at a time when all the rest of the world was in great economic distress, largely as a result of the great World War, in which Japan had a very minor part.

IN THE EYES OF A CIVILIZED WORLD NO ECONOMIC NECESSITY CAN BE SO GREAT AS TO JUSTIFY THE RUTHLESS SLAUGHTER OF NON-COMBATANTS, HELPLESS MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN, AS WE ARE ADVISED HAS BEEN DONE ON NO SMALL SCALE IN UNFORTUNATE SHANGHAI.

Japan may gain territory, but instead of developing customers she will have no content with a deep-rooted hatred for generations to come and she will lose more in her standing among the civilized nations of the world than she can possibly gain.

At this particular time in the history of the world this conflict without a declaration of war, or any justification of such a declaration, is a great pity and a pathetic tragedy.

## Requests for Prayers Are Answered

By GARRY C. MYERS, PH. D.  
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Reserve University

DEAR SIR: "Will you please print in your column a blessing which would be suitable for children to say before meals, as well as parents."

Answer: Here are a few from which you may be able to select one you like:

"Thank you for the food we eat, Thank you for the flowers sweet, Thank you for the birds that sing, Thank you, God, for everything. Thou art great and Thou art good,

And we thank Thee for this food, By Thy hand must we be fed, Give us, Lord, our daily bread.

Father we thank Thee for this night, And for the pleasant morning light; For rest and food and loving care And all that makes the day so fair. Help us to do the things we should and be to others kind and good; In all we do, in work or play, To grow more lovely every day.

About a year ago I printed in this column a prayer for parents. During the past few months many requests have come that it appear

again. So here it is, by permission of Greenberg, New York City, publisher of my book, "The Modern Parent" in which this prayer appears:

## A Prayer for Parents

"Oh, Jehovah, make me a better parent. Teach me to understand my children, to listen patiently to what they have to say and to answer all their questions kindly. Keep me from interrupting them, talking back to them and contradicting them. Make me as courteous to them as I would have them be to me. Give me the courage to confess my sins against my children and to ask of them forgiveness when I know that I have done them wrong."

"May I not vainly hurt the feelings of my children. Forbid that I should laugh at their mistakes or resort to shame and ridicule as punishment. Let me not tempt my child to lie and steal. So guide me hour by hour that I may demonstrate by all I say and do that honesty produces happiness."

"Reduce, I pray, the meanness in me. May I cease to nag; and when I am out of sorts, help me, O Lord, to hold my tongue."

"Blind me to the little errors of my children and help me to see the good things that they do. Give me a ready word for honest praise."

"Help me to grow up with my children, to treat them as those of their own age; but let me not expect of them the judgments and conventions of adults. Allow me not to rob them of the opportunity to wait upon themselves, to think, to choose and to make decisions. Forbid that I should ever punish them for my selfish satisfaction. May I grant them all their wishes that are reasonable and have the courage always to withhold a privilege which I know will do them harm."

"Make me fair and just, so considerate and companionable to my children that they will have a genuine esteem for me. Fit me to be loved and imitated by my children. With all Thy gifts, O Great Jehovah, give me calm and poise and self-control."

## Budgets For The Entire Family

By MRS. MARY MORTON

## WHAT IS GAINED?

A record of expenditures enables a family to judge whether or not it is living up to its plan, and to improve that plan. It may be looked upon as a speedometer which shows a family how far it has gone along the road toward its goal. It makes it possible to plan how to spend not only money, but time and energy. From it can be found what articles it is most economical to buy, what articles it is most economical to make, and what things to do without.

A record gives assurance. If it is decided that a certain sum may be spent for new equipment during the year, and a record of what has been spent to date is available, then, when the chance to make a purchase on good terms arises there is no doubt, no question of "should I or shouldn't I?" In their words, the family knows what it can afford to buy and when it can buy it. It is sure of what it can and cannot spend, and on what to spend it.

A record shows mistakes in buying, indicates whether articles bought at a certain place gives better value than those bought at another. Knowing what has been bought, and when, and where, the knowledge upon which to base future buying is available.

Financial Terms Everyone Should Know Bucket Shops: This is a term applied to places operated by irresponsible brokers and are really not brokerage places in the main, but places where the investor seldom has a ghost of a chance to win.

## ALL of US

By MARSHALL MASLIN

## Thinking About Yourself That's a Disease This Man Cured It

I talked to a man who had been sick for a long, long time. For years and years. And he gave me a valuable tip. He explained to me how a man can be "sick for a long, long time for years and years," and still be smiling at the end of it.

This man is "brilliant." That's the word all of his friends use when they talk about him. He has one of those minds that are swift and thorough at the same time.

He reads a book and gets it all in one reading. Give him a problem and he has it solved in a flash. Give him a job and it's done immediately. It's tough for a man like that to be so hampered by illness. It's tough for anybody, of course, but everybody agrees that it's particularly bad for a man of great abilities, like this man I know.

Every year or two he has to quit his job and go away to the country to "get his strength back." Every few years as long as I've known him, he's been going to a hospital or just getting out of one.

And every time I meet him he's got a grin on his face. I've wondered and wondered about him.

I've told myself that it must be because he just naturally has a happy disposition. Knowing how most of us act when we've a pain in the stomach or an ache in a tooth, I don't want to give him credit for being too different from the rest of us.

But the last time I saw him, this fellow who's always in hospitals and always just about to have an operation, I asked him how he managed to keep so happy. And he said:

"I had to learn how. Happiness isn't my natural state of mind. My natural disposition is sort of dour and cranky, and it didn't come easy. It didn't come until I discovered that I couldn't get any happiness out of thinking about myself. When I was well, I thought I got a lot of happiness out of that sort of thing; but when my old body went back on me I discovered that thinking about myself just multiplied my misery. So I cut it out, and you can't imagine what a difference it makes in the pleasure a fellow gets out of life."

Yes, I can imagine it. I know now why my sick friend is happy. But I'd like to know where he got the common sense to see for himself that he couldn't be happy unless he quit thinking about himself. And where he got the courage to do what he knew was right. That's his own private secret.

## Mate Shows No Sense of Fair Play

By MRS. VIRGINIA LEE

One virtue that makes for successful matrimony is a sense of fair play.

If one part constantly imposes on the other it eventually will wreck the union. One can't go on indefinitely being gyped without feeling injured, discontented and unhappy.

A young wife writes: "I have been married over five years and have a baby four years old. I love my husband and would hate to part with him, but his father gets everything my husband has since we have been married. He just goes places and gets in trouble. And then my husband takes what little he has saved and goes and gets him out."

"I wanted to go to see my mother this winter. She was in a wreck and was hurt. My husband said we didn't have the money to spare. But we got a letter from his father who said he would like to come back but didn't have the money, and my husband sent him a money order for a ticket. He has been here for two months and could have gone to work, but didn't get as much money as he wanted so wouldn't work. I have been buying him tobacco for some time."

"I have been keeping up the table and buying my own and baby's clothes with my chickens and eggs and cream. I keep house well and work all the time. Please give me some advice as to what I should do. I never spend any of my husband's money for myself. My parents would send me money to go home if they knew I wanted to come, but my husband says I can't go until he can go with me, maybe not this summer."

"BROKEN HEART." It is certainly very unfair for your husband to spend so much on his father and let you provide clothes and food, and even tobacco for the father, with your money. The more you and your husband give to such a man the more he

will expect. Of course your husband doesn't want to see his father suffer and desires to help him, but maybe if he wasn't quite so ready with his help his father would keep out of trouble.

If I were you I would put away some money weekly from the sale of your chickens, eggs and cream and save it until summer. Then if your husband cannot go with you—or thinks he cannot—to visit your people, take the baby and go. You have a right to a vacation now and then, and your people should also have a chance to see you.

Tell your husband in as nice a way as possible that you are more entitled to the money you help him earn than his father, and while you do not begrudge him the necessities of life if he is in need of them, you feel you and the baby should come first. I hope you can manage to put some money away and will have a chance to visit your people this next summer.

WORRIED VERONICA: I don't believe you need worry at all about the matter. Couldn't the doctor give you proof of your operation if you needed it—verbal proof, at least?

"DEAR MISS VIRGINIA LEE: I am 31 and single. I am in love with a girl 18 and she loves me very much too. Do you think that there is too much difference in our ages? Do you think we could be happy?"

"ANXIOUS RUSSELL." Do you like to do the same things, Russell? Do you like the same people? Are you willing to take the girl to dances, picture shows, and things like that, that she naturally enjoys? Or would you expect her to "settle down" and act as if she were a woman of 30?

If you like to do the same things, enjoy the same people, and you are willing to make allowances for the difference in ages, and as you love one another, you probably will be happy.

PUZZLED: I don't think parents could send a girl of your age to the reformatory. However, if they think the young man is no good, why not look into the matter? You don't want to marry a man who will not make you happy, do you?

## Figure Beauty Demands Curves

By GLADYS GLAD

When a well-known platinum blonde screen siren first arrived at Hollywood, the other girls all shook their heads disparagingly. "Too plump!" was their unanimous verdict. "She won't succeed. But she did. And now, with those same fullsome curves, she is considered as the possessor of one of the best figures in the movie mecca."

That's the thing you see. The new standard of figure and of figure demands soft, feminine curves. But it also demands that these same curves be correctly proportioned. They must not be too full in one place and lack fullness in another. The figure must be symmetrical.

It is usually when those curves start to become too generous around the hips that a girl had better watch out. Because too much fullness at the hips ruins the lines of a figure entirely. And for the sedentary worker particularly this danger is an ever-present bugaboo. For the woman whose occupation requires that she spend the great part of her time sitting down is the one who is most likely to acquire too-broad hips.

Don't wait until your hips have actually become too broad to har-

monize with the remainder of your figure. Take steps to prevent any such spreading. And the one guarantee that you have against any untimely broadening of the hips is vigorous exercise. There are a number of exercises designed especially for this purpose in my booklet on "The New Figure."

And practiced every day, they will help you not only in keeping a girl's hips lithe and slender. The following exercises are also effective for this purpose. And if you're a sedentary worker, I'd advise you to start practicing them right now.

Stand next to a wall and rest your right hand against it. Bend your left knee upward. Then stretch the leg forward at waist height. Straighten it, and circle it to the side, then back and finally lower it to the floor. Repeat with left hand against the wall and right leg doing the motions.

Lie on your side on the floor, legs straight, knees stiffened. Raise the left leg up sideways as far as possible and then slowly lower it. Repeat, lying on the left side and raising the right leg.

## ANSWERS TO QUERIES

### Superfluous Hair

Margaret: The superfluous hair bleach that you mean is composed of two teaspoons of peroxide and half a teaspoon of ordinary household ammonia.

### Astringent

K. V. J.: The astringent to which you refer consists of a 4 per cent solution of boric acid and eight ounces of witch hazel.



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## BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Neither shalt thou swear by thy head, because thou canst not make one hair white or black.—Matthew, V, 36.

## ENGLAND'S DECISION

Advocates of the United States declaring an economic boycott of Japan or joining in such a boycott if initiated by the League of Nations, will do well to ponder Great Britain's decision in this connection, as enunciated by Sir John Simon. Under date of Feb. 23, the New York Times' correspondent in London cabled his paper:

"Under no circumstance will this country (Great Britain) participate in an economic blockade against Japan as provided by Article XVI of the League Covenant. Sir John and M. Tardieu may be depended upon to exert all their powers and influence to prevent any such blockade as a result of the League Assembly deliberations.

"They are determined not to allow a lot of small nations, who have no stake whatever in the commerce of China and would escape the brunt of war in the Far East should there be one, stampeding the great powers into hostilities or imposing sanctions which might cause hostilities.

"That is the definite policy of the British Government and it will adhere to it regardless of assertions that this country (Great Britain), as a member of the League, will abide by its decision."

Great Britain and France do not allow sentimentality or even their membership in the League of Nations to interfere with their carrying on business as usual.

A British political leader is quoted as adding:

"America is not going to pull our chestnuts out of the fire by fighting Japan and letting us manufacture munitions for the United States Army and Navy. The day has gone by when the British policy was to run around the world hacking under dogs just because we had plenty of warships to spare for such jobs whenever and wherever they happened."

America will not pull other people's chestnuts out of the fire if it keeps its head as squarely on its shoulders as Great Britain, France, Italy and other European countries are keeping theirs.

## QUESTION OF MORALS?

A mob of angry women in New Orleans has just put a man in the hospital for insinuating that one of its members was immoral because she appeared on the streets stockinged. We don't like to see even the ladies take the law into their own hands; but if anyone deserves to be crowned with a sledge hammer it is the man or woman who imputes immorality to the woman or man who finds stockings a bore in the balmy climate of the Crescent City.

Stockings or no stockings is a question of style or comfort; certainly not one of morality. A woman's morals are not in her legs. Yet every radical innovation in her dress has had to fight its way through this same line of resistance, where men have dug themselves in and sprayed the wives and daughters of other men with the mud of insinuation collected from their own minds. The human leg is no more moral in a stocking than without one. Going stockinged is a result; not a cause.

When dug down to, woman's morality—and man's for that matter, too—was probably not very different in the days of Victorian upholstery from what it is in this day of greater freedom and comfort in dress. The Crusaders, who put their women in harness when they went off to the wars, are dead and gone; but their mentality survives in spots, as the incident in New Orleans so unpleasantly shows.

## ENLIST THE HOME FOR SAFETY

The Federal, State and municipal governments may legislate for accident prevention, the police may seek unrelentingly to enforce it, schools may teach safety, and associations may advocate it, but really effective results can never be obtained until the American home is enlisted wholeheartedly in the cause.

The home is the keystone of the Nation's safety arch. It is the first line of defense against an enemy which annually kills 100,000 persons, injures 3,000,000 or more and produces an economic loss running into the millions.

"Nearly one-third of the 560,000 accident fatalities of the last decade actually happened in the homes," says Dr. Herbert J. Stack, Safety Supervisor of the National Bureau of Casualty and Surety Underwriters. "That in itself should awaken every household to the necessity of better housekeeping, better care of young children and better safeguards.

"There is an inescapable duty resting upon the heads of the nation's families. In the last analysis they have the responsibility of teaching safety habits and attitudes to the children. What the child absorbs in the home colors its after-life and if lessons there are lax, the child will be found deficient when it comes to safety problems of our modern civilization.

"Accidents are a serious menace to our national life and far reaching in their effects. Surely, something is wrong when in a single ten years, the lives of more than half a million persons, one-fifth of whom are children, can be snuffed out. As bad as wars are, if we add together all the deaths of American soldiers on the battlefields during the combats of the last two hundred years of our history, the total will not be that of loss through accidents during the period named."

## TRANSPORTATION BY AUTO

A point often disregarded in considering the effect of competition by motor trucks and busses on the railroads is that of taxation directly affecting the people. The Indiana Public Service Commission has recently had before it an application that illustrates the possibility of a community seeking what it regards as more convenient transportation service, at a price it does not realize it is committing itself to pay.

The application was from a motor truck company for permission to parallel a railway already providing freight service between two points in Indiana. The Commission looked into the matter and discovered that the trucks would pay, at most, a tax of \$75 a year, at the point of ownership, although the cost of highway maintenance in Indiana had gone up from \$564 a mile in 1929 to \$604 a mile in 1930, a result largely of the operation of heavy trucks. Whereas the railway company paid in the three counties affected taxes totaling \$179,677 a year, which worked out at \$2.75 for every man, woman and child in those counties. The Commission observed:

"As the gross and net revenues of the railroads decrease, the assessment of railroad property will decrease and the amount of taxes paid by the railroads will be reduced. This means but one thing—an increased rate for every taxpayer, whose property, in many cases, has already been taxed at its true cash value."

The rise of automotive transportation has introduced a new phase in the general transportation situation in this country, which will require time and patience and sympathetic study to adjust to the greatest benefit to the public, without injury to any of the other parties concerned. The Indiana Public Service Commission has contributed to that study a principle of public policy of vital interest to taxpayers.

## MY NEW YORK

By JAMES ASWELL

NEW YORK. — This is written on a portable typewriter. After years of pounding on the large standard machines, I feel almost that it is committing assault to punch the keyboard of this frantic midget.

For one thing, it gives the impression of working so hard—twice as conscientiously as the guy who is flailing it. Actually, the machine's performance is quite indistinguishable from that of its big brother. But in effect it gulps down polysyllables with the brave earnestness of a small boy surrounding his daily helping of spinach.

To poets whose script is illegible and who flinch from the crass mechanism of the standard typewriter, I recommend a portable. In fact, I would not be surprised to learn that the trouble with today's column, down to here, was simply the wistful yearning of the keys to lit into a sonnet.

## HAND AND FOOT NOTES

Kate Smith, the singer of torch ballads to the ether, is, they tell me, sensitive about her excessive weight. . . . The truth is that avoirdupois may be closely linked to the magic which brings Kate her four-figure weekly check. . . . My doctor declares that the vocal chords of folk who tend toward obesity are likely to be of the small, vibrant, singer type. . . . On the other hand my own left, which has been mounting disconcertingly through recent years, seems to be no case in point. . . . The wagon would draw up to my door at the first note I sang, and with cause. . . .

The sale of cosmetics has suddenly picked up throughout the world, I am told by a large drug wholesaler—and in the queerest places, too: Cuba, where political upheavals have embarrassed business of late, and in Shanghai, where you know what has been going on. . . . According to statisticians, it is about time as you read these words for a new national radio smash to hit the air. . . . Enormously successful microphone acts occur, with astonishing regularity, about once every 45 days. . . . Don't ask me who or how. . . .

A new novel, of the "daring" (and invariably dull) variety, is being advertised in the local papers under the catchline: "BANNED EXTENSIVELY ABROAD!" . . . A deaf and dumb barber in one of the financial district shops has a little sign posted on the mirror in front of his chair: "I never annoy you with talk." . . . Patrons write down their wishes on a pad provided for the purpose. . . .

## THINGS SEEN

The winter moon, in its last quarter, glimpsed through the spires of St. Marks in the Bowery. . . . Mid-winter ship sailings, lacking the gaiety of summer departures, business-like and a little sad. . . . The high rim of Manhattan, toward which trains plunge underground from the bleak desolation of Jersey marshes. . . .

## SUMMING UP

Marriages which end in Reno are now characterized, among the smart young sophisticates where they occur oftenest, as "noble experiments."

## THE QUESTION BOX

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## GRAB BAG

When was the dollar introduced into the United States?

What kind of money is used in Porto Rico?

Has any country modeled a banking system upon our Federal Reserve bank?

Correctly Speaking—"Heap" or "heaps" are vulgarisms for very much, a great deal, or a great many.

## Today's Anniversary

On this day, in 1869, Brand Whitlock, an American diplomat and author, was born.

## Today's Horoscope

Persons born on this day have strong, clear minds, and great abilities.

## Answers to Foregoing Questions

1. The dollar was introduced into America by the Dutch West India trade before the Revolution.

2. Both American and Spanish money is used in Porto Rico, but the American is the official currency.

3. Peru has the Banco de Reserva del Peru, an institution which was modeled upon the Federal Reserve bank of the United States.

Note: The following pamphlets may be obtained by sending 10 cents in coin and a large stamped self-addressed envelope for each to Central Press Bureau, P. O. Box 126, Washington, D. C.: "Who's Who in Hollywood," "Seeing Washington," "Swimming," Charles P. Stewart's treatise on "Our Government," and "The World War."

## THE YELLOW PERIL



## Note And Comment

In this column will appear from day to day articles written by various individuals not on the staff or associated with this paper. These articles will be constructive in nature and presented with the hope that they may give our readers a broader understanding on matters of interest, local, state, national and international. As these articles will not originate with us they will be submitted without our assuming any responsibility for the information given or for the opinions expressed. We trust and believe they will prove to be interesting and informative.

## CHINA AND JAPAN

As a nation that has never been an aggressor, the sympathies of the people of the United States must largely lie with China in the great conflict now raging in Shanghai.

While many consider the great tragedy as somewhat of a family quarrel in which we know very little of a real cause, still we must give China the same right to national life and expression as is demanded by other nations.

While the Japanese and Chinese are both orientals and closely related in their appearance, in their habits, and in their earlier traditions, still there is a much greater difference between them than between Germany and Austria, and certainly fully as great as between France and Italy.

The Japanese have been quicker mentally and have adapted themselves to modern civilization much faster than the Chinese.

The Japanese are not so strong in initiative and in inventive genius as they have been in imitation and adaptability.

Japan is unfortunately a very small territory for such a prolific people, their need for territory in which to expand is very great, their economic necessities are no doubt alarming, it is just such conditions and incentives that have made nations aggressors ever since the Christian era began.

Against this, China, who has vast territory and an equally prolific population, has been slow to emerge from her traditions as an empire and has shown little ability to form a real republic. In this connection we must remember that the Orientals were an organized people long before the time of Christ.

China has become a nation of clans and groups, dominated by war lords, who are able to maintain their own armies of defense and aggression.

She has not as yet had the urge or the ability to develop a real national consciousness and a national administration strong enough to bring all the discordant and selfish groups together in a common cause.

These conditions have left China more or less helpless and an easy prey to surrounding nations.

Japan, more progressive and more capable of producing a national entity, has looked with longing eyes on the territory of China just across a narrow sea, and on the Chinese themselves as consumers of Japan's industrial products.

In need of territory for an ever-growing population, of customers for her commerce and industry and of gold for her treasury, Japan apparently could not withstand the opportunity to move into Manchuria, a country of itself many times the size of Japan, at a time when all the rest of the world was in great economic distress, largely as a result of the great World War, in which Japan had a very minor part.

IN THE EYES OF A CIVILIZED WORLD NO ECONOMIC NECESSITY CAN BE SO GREAT AS TO JUSTIFY THE RUTHLESS SLAUGHTER OF NON-COMBATANTS, HELPLESS MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN, AS WE ARE ADVISED HAS BEEN DONE ON NO SMALL SCALE IN UNFORTUNATE SHANGHAI.

Japan may gain territory, but instead of developing customers she will have no content with a deep-rooted hatred for generations to come and she will lose more in her standing among the civilized nations of the world than she can possibly gain.

At this particular time in the history of the world this conflict without a declaration of war, or any justification of such a declaration, is a great pity and a pathetic tragedy.

## Requests for Prayers Are Answered

By GARRY C. MYERS, PH. D.  
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DEAR SIR: "Will you please print in your column a blessing which would be suitable for children to say before meals, as well as parents."

Answer: Here are a few from which you may be able to select one you like:

"Thank you for the food we eat, Thank you for the flowers sweet, Thank you for the birds that sing, Thank you, God, for everything."

Thou art great and Thou art good,

And we thank Thee for this food; By Thy hand must we be fed, Give us, Lord, our daily bread.

Father we thank Thee for the night, And for the pleasant morning light; For rest and food and loving care And all that makes the day so fair. Help us to do the things we should and be to others kind and good; In all we do, in work or play, To grow more lovely every day.

About a year ago I printed in this column a prayer for parents. During the past few months many requests have come that it appear

again. So here it is, by permission of Greenberg, New York City, publisher of my book, "The Modern Parent" in which this prayer appears:

## A Prayer for Parents

"Oh, Jehovah, make me a better parent. Teach me to understand my children, to listen patiently to what they have to say and to answer all their questions kindly. Keep me from interrupting them, talking back to them and contradicting them. Make me as courteous to them as I would have them be to me. Give me the courage to confess my sins against my children when I know that I have done them wrong."

"May I not vainly hurt the feelings of my children. Forbid that I should laugh at their mistakes or resort to shame and ridicule as punishment. Let me not tempt my child to lie and steal. So guide me hour by hour that I may demonstrate by all I say and do that honesty produces happiness."

"Reduce, I pray, the meanness in me. May I cease to nag; and when I am out of sorts, help me, O Lord, to hold my tongue."

"Blind me to the little errors of my children and help me to see the good things that they do. Give me a ready word for honest praise."

"Help me to grow up with my children, to treat them as those of their own age; but let me not expect of them the judgments and conventions of adults. Allow me not to rob them of the opportunity to wait upon themselves, to think, to choose and to make decisions. Forbid that I should ever punish them for my selfish satisfaction. May I grant them all their wishes that are reasonable and have the courage always to withhold a privilege which I know will do them harm."

"Make me fair and just, so considerate and companionable to my children that they will have a genuine esteem for me. Fit me to be loved and imitated by my children."

"With all Thy gifts, O Great Jehovah, give me calm and poise and self-control."

## Budgets For The Entire Family

By MRS. MARY MORTON

## WHAT IS GAINED?

A record of expenditures enables a family to judge whether or not it is living up to its plan, and to improve that plan. It may be looked upon as a speedometer which shows a family how far it has gone along the road toward its goal. It makes it possible to plan how to spend not only money, but time and energy. From it can be found what articles it is most economical to buy, what articles it is most economical to make, and what things to do without.

A record gives assurance. If it is decided that a certain sum may be spent for new equipment during the year, and a record of what has been spent to date is available, then, when the chance to make a purchase on good terms arises there is no doubt, no question of "should I or shouldn't I?" In other words, the family knows what it can afford to buy and when it can buy it. It is sure of what it can and cannot spend, and on what to spend it.

A record shows mistakes in buying, indicates whether articles bought at a certain place gives better value than those bought at another. Knowing what has been bought, and when, and where, the knowledge upon which to base future buying is available.

## Financial Terms Everyone Should Know

Bucket Shops: This is a term applied to places operated by irresponsible brokers and are really not brokerage places in the main, but places where the investor seldom has a ghost of a chance to win.

## ALL of US

By MARSHALL MASLIN

## Thinking About Yourself That's a Disease

This Man Cured It

I talked to a man who had been sick for a long, long time. For years and years. And he gave me a valuable tip. He explained to me how a man can be "sick for a long, long time for years and years," and still be smiling at the end of it.

This man is "brilliant." That's the word all of his friends use when they talk about him. He has one of those minds that are swift and thorough at the same time.

He reads a book and gets it all in one reading.

Give him a problem and he has it solved in a flash.

Give him a job and it's done immediately.

It's tough for a man like that to be so hampered by illness. It's tough for anybody, of course, but everybody agrees that it's particularly bad for a man of great abilities, like this man I know.

Every year or two he has to quit his job and go away to the country to "get his strength back." Every few years as long as I've known him, he's been going to a hospital or just getting out of one.

And every time I meet him he's got a grin on his face. I've wondered and wondered about him.

I've told myself that it must be because he just naturally has a happy disposition. Knowing how most of us act when we've a pain in the stomach or an ache in a tooth, I don't want to give him credit for being too different from the rest of us.

But the last time I saw him, this fellow who's always in hospitals and always just about to have an operation, I asked him how he managed to keep so happy. And he said:

"I had to learn how. Happiness isn't my natural state of mind. My natural disposition is sort of dour and cranky, and it didn't come easy. It didn't come until I discovered that I couldn't get any happiness out of thinking about myself. When I was well, I thought I got a lot of happiness out of that sort of thing; but when my old body went back on me I discovered that thinking about myself just multiplied my misery. So I cut it out, and you can't imagine what a difference it makes in the pleasure a fellow gets out of life."

Yes, I can imagine it. I know now why my sick friend is happy. But I'd like to know where he got the common sense to see for himself that he couldn't be happy unless he quit thinking about himself. And where he got the courage to do what he knew was right. That's his own private secret.

## Mate Shows No Sense of Fair Play

By MRS. VIRGINIA LEE

One virtue that makes for successful matrimony is a sense of fair play.

If one part constantly imposes on the other it eventually will wreck the union. One can't go on indefinitely being gyped without feeling injured, discontented and unhappy.

A young wife writes:

"I have been married over five years and have a baby four years old. I love my husband and would hate to part with him, but his father gets everything my husband has since we have been married. He just goes places and gets in trouble. And then my husband takes what little he has saved and goes and gets him out."

"I wanted to go to see my mother this winter. She was in a wreck and was hurt. My husband said we didn't have the money to spare. But we got a letter from his father who said he would like to come back but didn't have the money, and my husband sent him a money order for a ticket. He has been here for two months and could have gone to work, but didn't get as much money as he wanted so wouldn't work. I have been buying him tobacco for some time."

"I have been keeping up the table and buying my own and baby's clothes with my chickens and eggs and cream. I keep house well and work all the time. Please give me some advice as to what I should do. I never spend any of my husband's money for myself. My parents would send me money to go home if they knew I wanted to come, but my husband says I can't go until he can go with me, maybe not this summer."

"BROKEN HEART."

It is certainly very unfair for your husband to spend so much on his father and let you provide clothes and food, and even tobacco for the father, with your money. The more you and your husband give to such a man the more he

will expect. Of course your husband doesn't want to see his father suffer and desires to help him, but maybe if he wasn't quite so ready with his help his father would keep out of trouble.

If I were you I would put away some money weekly from the sale of your chickens, eggs and cream and save it until summer. Then if your husband cannot go with you—or thinks he cannot—to visit your people, take the baby and go. You have a right to a vacation now and then, and your people should also have a chance to see you.

Tell your husband in as nice a way as possible that you are more entitled to the money you very much need. Do you think that there is too much difference in our ages? Do you think we could be happy?

"ANXIOUS RUSSELL."

Do you like to do the same things, Russell? Do you like the same people? Are you willing to take the girl to dances, picture shows, and things like that, that she naturally enjoys? Or would you expect her to "settle down" and act as if she were a woman of 30?

If you like to do the same things, enjoy the same people, and you are willing to make allowances for the difference in ages, and as you love one another, you probably will be happy.

PUZZLED: I don't think parents could send a girl of your age to the reformatory. However, if they think the young man is no good, why not look into the matter? You don't want to marry a man who will not make you happy, do you?

## Figure Beauty Demands Curves

By GLADYS GLAD

When a well-known platinum blonde screen siren first arrived at Hollywood, the other girls all shook their heads disparagingly. "Too plump!" was their unanimous verdict. "She won't succeed."

But she did. And now, with those lovely curves, she is considered as the possessor of one of the best figures in the movie mecca.

That's the thing, you see. The new standard of figure of figure demands curves.

It is usually when those curves start to become too generous around the hips that a girl had better watch out. Because too much fullness at the hips ruins the lines of a figure entirely. And for the sedentary worker, particularly this danger is an ever-present bugaboo. For the woman whose occupation requires that she spend the greater part of her time sitting down is the one who is most likely to acquire too-broad hips.

Don't wait until your hips have actually become too broad to nar-

monize with the remainder of your figure. Take steps to prevent any such spreading. And the one guarantee that you have against any untimely broadening of the hips is vigorous exercise. There are a number of exercises designed especially for this purpose in my booklet on "The New Figure." It practiced every day, they will help you to keep a girl's hips lithe and slender. The following exercises are also effective for this purpose. And if you're a sedentary worker, I'd advise you to start practicing them right now.

Stand next to a wall and rest your right hand against it. Bend your left knee upward. Then stretch the leg forward at waist height. Straighten it, and circle it to the side, then back and finally lower it to the floor. Repeat with left hand against the wall and right leg doing the motions.

Lie on your side on the floor, legs straight, knees stiffened. Raise the left leg up sideways as far as possible and then slowly lower it. Repeat, lying on the left side and raising the right leg.

## ANSWERS TO QUERIES

### Superfluous Hair

Margaret: The superfluous hair bleach that you mean is composed of two teaspoons of peroxide and half a teaspoon of ordinary household ammonia.

### Astringent

K. V. J.: The astringent to which you refer consists of a 4 per cent solution of boric acid and eight ounces of witch hazel.



# SPORT SNAP SHOTS

FRAMED  
by Phil

Once again the time has come for the seven Miami Valley League coaches to select all-league first and second teams for 1932.

The annual business of fixing up a couple of mythical teams to gladden the hearts of certain players will be duly transacted at the semi annual powwow of league officials at the Dayton Y. M. C. A. Tuesday night.

This year the task facing the league mentors appears to be a delicate one.

In other years the assignment was comparatively easy, because Xenia Central, which always won the title without losing a game, regularly placed three players on the first team and one, now and then, on the second.

For the sake of argument, let us consider the impending selections.

Off hand, it would seem that one weighty problem will be to figure out a way to get Greenville, new league champion, and Sidney, tied for second place, represented on the all-star first team.

Greenville won five of its six league games but it has no outstanding star. The five regulars merely cooperated to better advantage than rival quintets. Everhart and Halley were good forwards, L. Williams was a fair center, and Kagey and J. Williams teamed well together at guards. None of the five was brilliant.

Sidney had one flashy performer in Bobby Clark, high scoring guard, but he was lost to the team after the first semester and it would not be fair to consider him for the mythical team on the basis of his performance during half of the season.

Elmer Faber, tall Sidney center, was good enough to make the second all-league team a year ago, but his play this season was overshadowed by Bob Carder, Piqua center, who was the league's highest individual scorer.

John Campbell, the great Troy guard, who made the first team in 1931, ought to be a virtually unanimous choice for a berth on the honored quintet again.

Kelly, Miamisburg forward, third best scorer in league competition, might be entitled to first team consideration.

Freddie Dalton, high scoring Xenia forward, got honorable mention last year. He ought to win a first team berth but since he has another year of competition, he probably will have to be content with being selected on the second team.

Howard Thompson, Xenia guard, chosen on the second team a year ago, is as good as any guard in the league and by rights should win a first team berth.

Regardless of individual ability, you can't escape the fact Greenville and Sidney are entitled to recognition befitting their station in the league standing, and the coaches will feel the same way. So don't be surprised if the mythical teams chosen look a little queer.

## HOME AQUATIC TEAM BEATS GREENFIELD IN DUAL TANK MEET

Cadet Swimmers Take Six Firsts in McClain Pool

The O. S. and S. O. Home tank team won its first swimming meet of the season Saturday night, defeating McClain High School, 40 to 35 in a dual aquatic meet in the McClain pool at Greenville.

Eight events comprised the program and the cadet swimmers took six first places and placed second twice. No pool records were broken during the meet.

Murray Jones, Home tank star and district champion in the 220-yard free style event, won two first places. He won his favorite event, the 220 race, in two minutes, fifty-five seconds, and two minutes later swam the 100-yard breast stroke race in one minute, twenty-eight seconds, also winning this event easily. Jones is entered in the state swimming meet finals at Columbus this week-end.

James Shriner finished first in the fifty-yard free style race in thirty-one seconds, placed second to Hill, of McClain, in the 100-yard free style and was a member of a winning cadet relay team. Robert Jones accounted for another first place when he swam the 100-yard breast stroke in one minute, thirty-two seconds.

McClain took only two first places, Hill winning the 100-yard free style and Kyle getting a first in diving.

The Home was victorious in both relay races. The cadet swimmers won the 200-yard free style relay in two minutes and one second, and the 150-yard medley relay in one minute, forty-five seconds.

AVIATRIX PLANS WORLD FLIGHT

LOS ANGELES, Mar. 1—Miss Juanita Burns, famous 25-year-old aviatrix, today announced plans for a solo flight around the world.

Miss Burns said she would hop off from Seattle April 1 in an attempt to be the first flyer ever to make the hop alone.

She would fly to New York, thence to London, Tokyo, and return to Seattle, under present plans.

# Xenia Draws Troy As Tournament Opponent

## GAME IS SCHEDULED FOR FRIDAY NIGHT; OSBORN DRAWS BYE

Home Quintet Meets Champaign County Champions

Xenia Central will have Troy as its first round opponent in the Class A sectional state basketball tournament, clashing with the Trojans at 10 o'clock Friday night in the last contest on the day's program at Wittenberg College field house in Springfield.

Winner of this game will face elimination by the powerful Springfield quintet in the second round at 3:30 o'clock Saturday night.

Springfield, recognized as easily the best of the eight schools entered in the sectional tourney, drew Piqua as its first round foe. Xenia defeated Troy, a Miami Valley League school, 27 to 26, during the regular season, at Central gymnasium here.

Two exempted schools of Greene County will compete in the Class B tournament play at Springfield.

The O. S. and S. O. Home quintet of Xenia had the misfortune to draw Westville, champion of Champaign County, for its first round opponent, the game to be played at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon. Westville is undefeated this season.

Osborn Bath Twp. drew a first round bye and will play Urbana Twp., runner-up to Westville in the Champaign County tourney, at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Drawings for the tournament play, in which eight Class A schools and twelve Class B teams will participate, were made late Monday afternoon in the offices of the Clark County board of education at the Court House in Springfield.

Two schools from Class A and Class B will become eligible to progress to the district finals at Dayton a week later. In other words, the sectional tourney at Springfield will end with the playing of semi-final games and no final round contests will be staged.

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Wagner 235 209 170  
White 146 155 226  
Malavazos 177 194 212  
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GEORGE BENDER TO RUN FOR CONGRESS

COLUMBUS, O., March 1.—Former State Senator George H. Bender of Cleveland, who was acquitted a few months ago on charges of misusing funds collected for a referendum fight, today had declared himself a candidate for the Republican nomination for congressman-at-large.

The announcement of Bender, a foe of the Anti-Saloon League, followed by a few hours the announcement of the candidacy of L. Thomas J. Herbert of Cleveland and Columbus for the same position.

MARKETS  
LIVE STOCK

PITTSBURGH LIVESTOCK  
PITTSBURGH, Mar. 1.—Hogs: receipts 750; holdovers 350; market active, steady to 10c higher; most 160 to 220 lbs., \$4.60@4.75, a few sorted light weights \$4.85; 230 to 300 lbs., \$4.25@4.50; 130 to 160 lbs., \$4.45; lighter weights scarce downward to \$3.50 largely; packing sows unevenly higher but scarce; a few good lots \$3.50@3.75.

Cattle: receipts 50; today's trade little change, a few plainer quality steers around \$3.75@3.85; medium grade steers \$3.60@3.75; medium heifers \$4.25@4.55; medium and good cows \$3.60@4.25; common and medium bulls \$2.75@3.50.

Calves: receipts 75; slow, about steady; vealers top \$8.50; bulk medium to choice \$6@8; plainer kinds down to \$3.50 for common grades.

Sheep: receipts 250; slow, a few odd lots and most quotations about steady with Monday's best prices; good and choice woolled lambs \$6.25@7; shorn lambs \$5.25@6; aged stock scarce.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK  
CHICAGO, Mar. 1.—Livestock: Hogs: 21,000; steady. Top \$4.34; bulk \$3.80@4.30; heavy \$3.75@4; medium \$4.40@4.55; light \$4.40@4.50; light hogs \$3.90@4.25; packing sows \$3.35@3.70; pigs \$3.25@3.50. Holdovers 5,000.

Cattle: 6,000; steady. Calves: 2,000; steady. Beef steers: good and choice \$7@8.50; common and medium \$4.60; yearlings \$5.50@6.50. Butcher cattle: heifers \$3.60@5.00; cows \$2.50@4.25; bulls \$2.50@4.00; calves \$5@7.25; feeder steers \$3.50@5.50; stocker steers \$3.50@5.25; stocker cows and heifers \$4@5.

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Cattle: 500, calves 825; moderately active about steady; supply light; odd lots common and medium steers and heifers \$4@5.25; few more desirable kinds upward to \$5 and \$6.25; most beef cows, \$3@3.50; bulk low cutters and cutters \$1.75@2.75; practical top bulls \$3.25; vealers weak to 50c lower; good and choice \$7@7.50; lower grades \$6.50 down.

Sheep: 350, not enough on sale to make market, all classes available steady; better grade wool lambs, \$6.50@6.75; common and medium, \$4@5.75; sheep \$2.50 down.

Receipts Monday: cattle 1731, calves 481, hogs 7008, sheep 1216. Shipments: cattle 56, calves 166, hogs 571.

DAYTON LIVESTOCK  
DAYTON, O., Mar. 1.—Receipts, 4 cars; mkt., steady. Mediums, 180-200 lbs., \$4.20. Mediums, 220-250 lbs., 4.05. Heavies, 250-280 lbs., 3.85. Heavies, 280 lbs. up, 3.75 down. Lights, 150-180 lbs., 3.80@4.05. Lights, 125-150 down, 3.50@3.70. Pigs, 125 lbs. down, 3.50 down. Stags, 200@2.50.

CATTLE  
Receipts, light; mkt., steady. Veal calves, ext. top, \$7.00. Med. Veal calves, 6.00 down. Best butcher steers, 5.00@6.00. Med. butcher steers, 4.00@5.00. Best fat heifers, 4.00@5.00. Medium heifers, 3.00@4.00. Best fat cows, 3.00@3.50. Medium cows, 2.25@3.00. Bulls, 2.50@3.50. Bologna cows, 1.00@2.00.

SHEEP  
Sheep, 1.00@2.00. Spring lambs, 5.00 down. Spring lambs, ext. top, 6.00.

GRAIN MARKET  
(Quotations received from Xenia Farmers' Exchange Co., W. Main St., daily.)

Wheat, bu., 48c.  
Corn, per cwt., 38c.  
Oats, bu., 16c.

PRODUCE  
CHICAGO BUTTER  
CHICAGO, Mar. 1.—Butter receipts, 10,872 tubs; creamery extra 21½c; standards, 21¼c; extra firsts, 20¾c; firsts, 20@20½c; packing stock, 13@14c; specials, 21¼@22¼c.

CLEVELAND PRODUCE  
CLEVELAND, Mar. 1.—Butter: extra, 21¼c; standards, 21¼c; mkt., steady; eggs: extra, firsts, 12½c; current receipts 12½c; mkt., steady; live poultry: heavy fowls, 15@17c; med. fowls, 18@19c, heavy

broilers, 22@24c; young broilers, 21@23c; leghorn fowls, 15@16c; smooth springers, 18@19c; ducks, 20@22c; young geese, 14@16c; stags, 13@14c; cocks, 10@12c; young turkeys 25c; market steady; apples: various varieties, 30¢ per ½ bu. basket; cabbage: Ohio Chinese, \$1.25 per lettuce basket; potatoes: Ohio round whites, 45¢50¢ per bu. sack.

DAYTON PRODUCE  
Wholesale Selling Prices  
Fresh Eggs, dozen, 16¢.  
Dressed Turkeys, lb., 33¢.  
Retail Selling Prices  
Dressed Hens, 32¢.  
Dressed Turkeys, lb., 40¢.  
Live Turkeys, lb., 28¢.  
Country butter, pound, 30¢.  
Creamery Butter, pound, 30¢.  
1932 Fries, pound, 35¢.  
Leghorn Fries, lb., 10¢.  
Hens, 5 lbs. down, 14¢.  
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JOHN L. SULLIVAN  
No. 38  
A Queen Views a King

IF ENGLAND welcomed John L. Sullivan there was one Britisher who resented the champion's visit. He was Charley Mitchell, who knew John L. wanted another fight with him. The pair were brought together to arrange a bout. They quarreled violently and nearly came to blows. At last an agreement was reached: The two to fight for a \$5,000 stake, some time between March 2 and 12, 1888.

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Mitchell Before Judge  
HOWEVER, if royalty was interested in the coming fight, so were the police. The authorities warned the fighters they must not clash in England. John L. wisely moved his camp to Amiens in France. Mitchell continued to train in England and was arrested. The judge put Mitchell under a \$1,000 peace bond not to fight for six months. Mitchell immediately went to France to finish his training.

Arrival at Ceril  
IT WAS SECRETLY arranged to hold the fight March 10 at Ceril, France. John L. and his backers and Mitchell and Jake Kilrain, the famous heavyweight who was his manager, went to the small town just before the fight. They appeared nonchalant and the French police were temporarily fooled, believing them English sportsmen on a vacation.  
WEDNESDAY—Fighting in France.



# SPORT SNAP SHOTS

FRAMED  
by Phil

Once again the time has come for the seven Miami Valley League coaches to select all-league first and second teams for 1932.

The annual business of fixing up a couple of mythical teams to gladden the hearts of certain players will be duly transacted at the semi-annual powwow of league officials at the Dayton Y. M. C. A. Tuesday night.

This year the task facing the league mentors appears to be a delicate one.

In other years the assignment was comparatively easy, because Xenia Central, which always won the title without losing a game, regularly placed three players on the first team and one, now and then, on the second.

For the sake of argument, let us consider the impending selections.

Off hand, it would seem that one weighty problem will be to figure out a way to get Greenville, new league champion, and Sidney, tied for second place, represented on the all-star first team.

Greenville won five of its six league games but it has no outstanding star. The five regulars merely cooperated to better advantage than rival quintets. Everhart and Halley were good forwards, L. Williams was a fair center, and Kagey and J. Williams teamed well together at guards. None of the five was brilliant.

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Regardless of individual ability, you can't escape the fact Greenville and Sidney are entitled to recognition befitting their station in the league standings, and the coaches will feel the same way. So don't be surprised if the mythical teams chosen look a little queer.

## HOME AQUATIC TEAM BEATS GREENFIELD IN DUAL TANK MEET

Cadet Swimmers Take Six Firsts in McClain Pool

The O. S. and S. O. Home tank team won its first swimming meet of the season Saturday night, defeating McClain High School, 40 to 35 in a dual aquatic meet in the McClain pool at Greenfield.

Eight events comprised the program and the cadet swimmers took six first places and placed second twice. No pool records were broken during the meet.

Murray Jones, Home tank star and district champion in the 220-yard free style event, won two first places. He won his favorite event, the 220 race, in two minutes, fifty-five seconds, and two minutes later swam the 100-yard back stroke race in one minute, twenty-eight seconds, also winning this event easily. Jones is entered in the state swimming meet finals at Columbus this week-end.

James Shriner finished first in the fifty-yard free style race in thirty-one seconds, placed second to Hill, of McClain, in the 100-yard free style and was a member of a winning cadet relay team. Robert Jones accounted for another first place when he swam the 100-yard breast stroke in one minute, thirty-two seconds.

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Sullivan, Mitchell Quarrel

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## SPEAKS NEXT WEEK



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## WILLIAMS TO SUE

RENO, Nev., Mar. 1.—Robert Q. Williams, famous trans-Atlantic flyer, in Reno today admitted he planned to establish a residence to file suit for divorce from Mrs. Carrie Williams, his wartime bride. The flyer said he would charge cruelty.

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WANT \$1260 to \$3000 year? Government jobs, Men, women, 18-65. Steady work, short hours. Common education usually sufficient. Sample coaching and particulars free—Write today sure, Box, M. Gazette.

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26 Horses—Cattle—Hogs

**FOR SALE**—general purpose horse. Sound and good worker. Cheap. Two sides of nickel mounted breeding harness. Phone Cedarville 12-120.

50 feeding hogs for sale. Phone Co. 39-F3.

**BIG TYPE** Poland China gilts—March to April farrow. Fall male pigs. E. E. McCull, Xenia, Ph. 223.

**FOR SALE** purebred Holstein bull, 18 months old. Mutual phone 151, E. J. Mendenhall.

27 Wanted To Buy

WANTED—25 Delaware ewes. Two or three year olds. Phone Cedarville 31-112.

28 Miscellaneous for Sale

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**PUBLIC SALE**  
I will offer at public auction at the George Elbeck farm located on the Enon Road, between the Dayton Pike and the Silvery Road, 3 1/2 miles west of Yellow Springs, Ohio, on

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2—HEAD OF HORSES—2  
10—HEAD OF CATTLE—10  
FULL LINE IMPLEMENTS  
HARNESS—FEED  
TERMS CASH  
HARRY EIBBECK  
Weikert and Gordon, Aucts.

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Being part of fractional Section 32, Township (3), Range (6), M. R. S., and beginning in the center of the road leading from Bellbrook to Haynes & Cromwell Mills at S. E. corner of S. H. Hopkins lot; thence with said Lot 10 poles five and one-half links to a stake; thence East (3) rods and twenty-one and one-fourth links; thence South ten poles five and one-fourth links to the center of the road; thence West with the center of the road to the beginning and containing one-fourth of an acre, more or less, and being the same premises conveyed by deed of John Lammie, dated Feb. 25, 1906, and recorded in Volume 98, at page 541, Greene County Deed Records.

Said premises being located on Franklin Street in said Village, and said real estate has been appraised at the sum of Two Thousand Dollars, (\$2,000.00), and must sell for not less than two-thirds of the appraised value, upon the following terms, to-wit: Cash.

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Being the same premises described in the deed of Joseph S. Kersey to Alice Holzerstott, dated April 18, 1913, and recorded in Volume 122, Page 127, Greene County Deed Records.

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Knowing her New England, Lillian realized that were she seen boarding a train with a strange man, and not returning, there would be no conclusion at which those who knew her would arrive. But, thank goodness, they wouldn't have a clue.

At Boston Thomas Blane spied her through the window. His eyes lighted. He touched the brim of his gray hat. She could tell he was pleased at seeing her—and, yes, then he was in the coach, there by her with his hat in his hand.

"You charming thing!" he greeted her in a low voice, as if he didn't want any of the other passengers to hear. "I was so afraid you'd change your mind."

She held out her white-gloved hand and he pressed it as if in sheer relief.

Lillian did look charming in her trim little white hat, which hugged her black wavy hair and exposed her broad forehead. Her coat, too, was becoming, with its silver fox collar. A white gardenia snuggled down in the soft fur. And she wore white kid gloves, the kind with



gauntlets which turned back over her coat sleeve.

Her face was flushed. And her dark eyes were sparkling.

"No—I haven't changed my mind—yet," she said.

A frown appeared between his handsome eyes as he sat down beside her.

"I tried to get a drawing room for us—but it seems I can't."

"Oh," said Lillian, "don't bother. We don't need one—this seat is comfortable."

"But not at all private," he answered, catching her eyes and smiling, raising one eyebrow a little higher than the other.

"Oh—no, it isn't," she answered, and felt a little silly. It wasn't at all the kind of an answer she would have made to some of the fellows near her own age. But the fellows she knew would not be likely to say anything like that to her.

Thomas Blane seemed nervous. As soon as he could he sought the conductor for seats in the parlor car.

He carried Lillian's bag and lifted it into the baggage rack above them, and he took pains to turn the backs of their chairs to the aisle, as if he were trying to hide her from the eyes of the other passengers.

Lillian smiled herself comfortably and smiled across at him. The train slid out of Boston, along the snowy trail leading to what Lillian believed to be the adventure of a lifetime. It was the trail which led from her quaint homeland, which she had long yearned to escape.

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No one would ever guess from the youthful, happy face of Mrs. Fowler McCormick that she is a grandmother, but the recent arrival of a baby daughter to her son "Bud" Stillman and his wife, the former Lena Wilson, has provided "Fifi" McCormick is shown with her husband, Fowler McCormick, as she entrained at Chicago for Boston to welcome the newest member of the Stillman family.

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Wanted—Love!  
The Story of an Unemployed Girl

READ THIS FIRST:  
Lillian Abbott, 18-year-old sub-deb, raised in the severe atmosphere of a New England home, decides she wants a career rather than a social life and answers an ad in a New York paper calling for girls for the movies. Through correspondence she arranges to have Thomas Blane, good looking and worldly wise, who advertised, come to the home of her wealthy parents in Salem, Mass., for a personal interview. She wears her new orange lounging pajamas when he calls. Blane tells her he instructs talented girls for picture careers and she agrees to run away from home, taking with her all her savings. They arrange to meet the next day on the train.

(NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY)

CHAPTER 3

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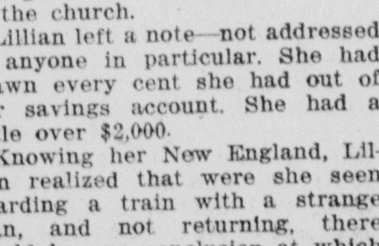
Knowing her New England, Lillian realized that were she seen boarding a train with a strange man, and not returning, there would be no conclusion at which those who knew her would arrive. But, thank goodness, they wouldn't have a clue.

At Boston Thomas Blane spied her through the window. His eyes lighted. He touched the brim of his gray hat. She could tell he was pleased at seeing her—and, yes, then he was in the coach, there by her with his hat in his hand.

"You charming thing!" he greeted her in a low voice, as if he didn't want any of the other passengers to hear. "I was so afraid you'd change your mind."

She held out her white-gloved hand and he pressed it as if in sheer relief.

Lillian did look charming in her trim little white hat, which hugged her black wavy hair and exposed her broad forehead. Her coat, too, was becoming, with its silver fox collar. A white gardenia snuggled down in the soft fur. And she wore white kid gloves, the kind with



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FOURTEEN FINED ON  
LOITERING CHARGE  
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Fines ranging from \$5 to \$50 and costs were imposed by Municipal Judge E. Dawson Smith Monday afternoon in disposing of the cases of the remaining fourteen of eighteen colored men and women treated by police in a raid on a disorderly house at 10 Railroad St. over the week-end.

Three Negroes, one a woman, charged with operating the place, were each fined \$50 and costs. They were Albert O. Hayes, 48, Mattie Sparks, 24, and Jasper Roan, 35. Hayes, earlier in the day, had been fined \$300 and costs for possessing liquor and sent to jail.

Eleven others against whom loitering charges were filed, drew fines of \$5 and costs and were ordered to pay the assessments in ten days or go to jail. Those fined are: Mildred Rice, 22, of 509 E. Main St.; Iva Cooper, 27, of 328 E. Market St.; Mamie Bruce, 24, of 1037 E. Second St.; Rosella Femuels, 22, of 426 E. Market St.; Algernon Hull, 24, of 1127 E. Second St.; Raymond Moore, 26, of 78 Taylor St.; Harry Vaughn, 30, of 50 Jefferson St.; Yancy Weaver, 21, of 158 Lexington Ave.; Roy Harris, 33, of 714 E. Main St.; Mark Walker, 32, of 815 E. Third St.; and John Scott.

Judge Smith dismissed two cases and he had previously imposed the fines of \$25 and costs Monday morning in two other cases.

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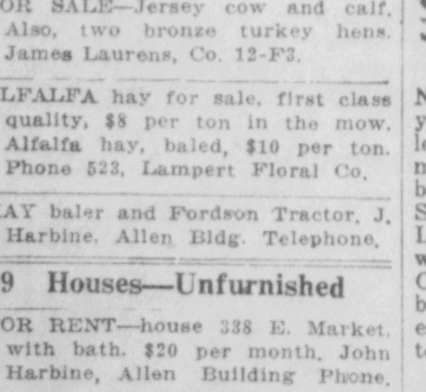
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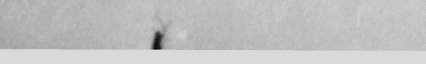
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## DID YOU KNOW? - - - By R. J. Scott



MAUD MUTHLER, A GUARD ON THE WOODBURY HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM OF WOODBURY, N.J.

WEARS A MASK TO PROTECT HER EYEGLASSES WHILE PLAYING



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## Wanted—Love!

The Story of an Unemployed Girl

READ THIS FIRST: Lillian Abbott, 18-year-old sub-deb, raised in the severe atmosphere of a New England home, decides she wants a career rather than a social life and answers an ad in a New York paper calling for girls for the movies. Through correspondence she arranges to have Thomas Blane, good looking and worldly wise, who advertised, come to the home of her wealthy parents in Salem, Mass., for a personal interview. She wears her new orange lounging pajamas when he calls. Blane tells her he instructs talented girls for picture careers and she agrees to run away from home, taking with her all her savings. They arrange to meet the next day on the train.

(NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY)

CHAPTER 3 LILLIAN ABBOTT looked out of the train window into the snow-spattered sunshine of a Boston morning—and saw Thomas Blane standing on the platform of the station.

She wondered whether he had been looking for her long. She wondered whether there had been any doubt in his mind as to whether she would keep her appointment.

It had been his suggestion that they would not leave Salem together.

When the gossip of the town began to wonder why Lillian Abbott had left her fine old home there wouldn't be a soul, not one eyewitness, to say: "She boarded the train with that dark man." There would be no one to say that she had gone with anyone. They could just say she departed wearing her becoming white caracolet and black coat, carrying her white muff. She had walked to the train that morning, too. She had left home immediately after her mother had gone to a committee meeting at the church.

Lillian left a note—not addressed to anyone in particular. She had drawn every cent she had out of her savings account. She had a little over \$2,000.

Knowing her New England, Lillian realized that were she seen boarding a train with a strange man, and not returning, there would be one conclusion at which those who knew her would arrive. But, thank goodness, they wouldn't have a clue.

At Boston Thomas Blane spied her through the window. His eyes lighted. He touched the brim of his gray hat. She could tell he was pleased at seeing her—and, yes, she thought a little surprised.

Then he was in the coach, there by her, with his hat in his hand.

"You charming thing!" he greeted her in a low voice, as if he didn't want any of the other passengers to hear. "I was so afraid you'd change your mind."

She held out her white-gloved hand and he pressed it as if in sheer relief.

Lillian did look charming in her trim little white hat, which hugged her black wavy hair and exposed her broad forehead. Her coat, too, was becoming, with its silver fox collar. A white gardenia snuggled down in the soft fur. And she wore white kid gloves, the kind with

gauntlets which turned back over her coat sleeve.

Her face was flushed. And her dark eyes were sparkling.

"No—I haven't changed my mind yet," she said.

A frown appeared between his handsome eyes as he sat down beside her.

"I tried to get a drawing room for us—but it seems I can't."

"Oh," said Lillian, "don't bother. We don't need one—this seat is comfortable."

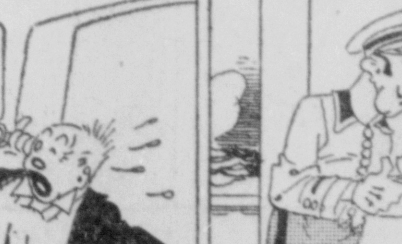
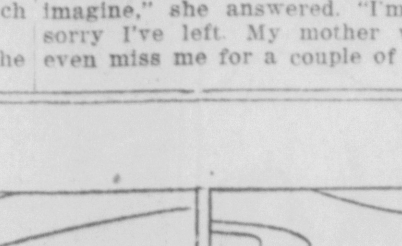
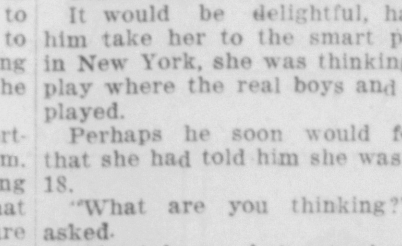
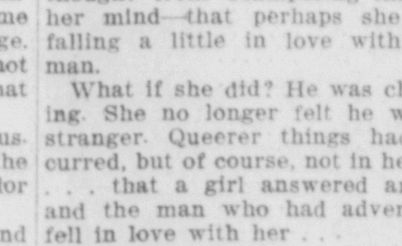
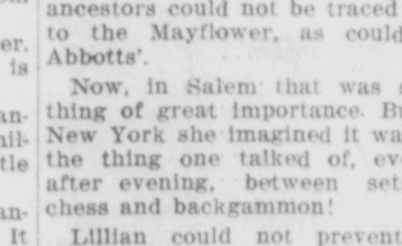
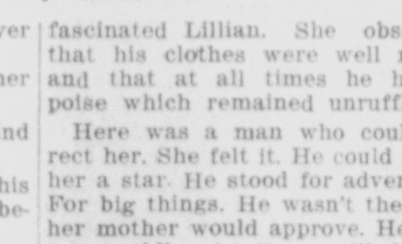
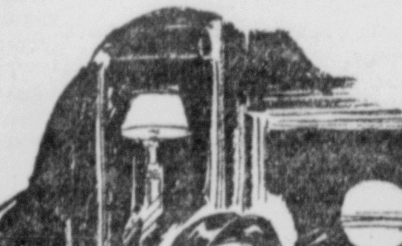
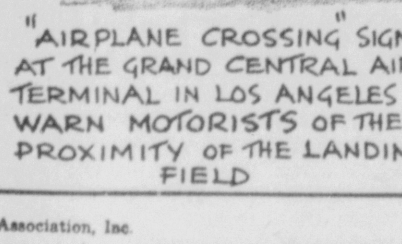
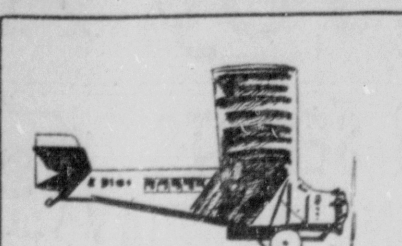
"But not at all private," he answered, catching her eyes and smiling, raising one eyebrow a little higher than the other.

"Oh—no, it isn't," she answered, and felt a little silly. It wasn't at all the kind of an answer she would have made to some of the fellows near her own age. But the fellows she knew would not be likely to say anything like that to her.

Thomas Blane seemed nervous. As soon as he could he sought the conductor for seats in the parlor car.

He carried Lillian's bag and lifted it into the baggage rack above them, and he took pains to turn the backs of their chairs to the aisle, as if he were trying to hide her from the eyes of the other passengers.

Lillian settled herself comfortably and smiled across at him. The train slid out of Boston, along the snowy trail leading to what Lillian believed to be the adventure of a lifetime. It was the trail which led from her quiet homeland, which she had long yearned to escape. Blane was personable, and he



—she's so busy with committees and historical societies, that sort of thing."

"But when she does miss you? Then what?"

"By that time I will have registered at some little hotel, under another name—and become another girl. I'll probably read in the papers something like this: 'Heiress Disappears From Wealthy Home.'"

"Heiress?" asked Blane, as if he didn't know.

"The newspapers no doubt will call me that."

"But why?"

"Well, my father is the Abbott who owns a chain of grocery stores over New England."

"Oh, really?" answered Blane, and to one more discerning than Lillian the tone of his voice would not have held conviction of news.

Thomas Blane's mind had gone through the entire situation, shifting each possibility for a hitch. She really was an heiress. He'd checked up on that long before he decided to come to Salem. Any way he looked at it he was to make money by this little contact—inveigling the daughter of Cyrus Abbott into a career.

Some might call it blackmail—if he wrote that he could give him news of his daughter, her address, etc., for a sum. They couldn't prove anything really had about him, though he had taken care not to pay her fare, or to leave the town with her. She was 18. She was her own woman.

"Let's go into the club car," he suggested, rising.

There Blane ordered white rock and produced a flask from his hip pocket.

Lillian put her hand over the top of her glasses and shook her head.

"Oh, you'll get over that, all right," he said, pouring the liquor into his own. "In New York. When you get into the movies!"

"Will I?" she smiled.

"We're going to have a swell time together," he said.

"And going to work hard, too, aren't we?" she added. "I'm mad to get down to work. It must be great—to have definite things to do every day—instead of just sleeping until noon, then lunching with some boring person."

"And to think, if I hadn't left I'd be doing that all the rest of my life—unless I took to historical societies and church committees as mother has—poor mother."

"You're too pretty to work too hard," he said, reaching for her hand. "You're not the type to work. . . . Just look at your hands . . ."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

## FOURTEEN FINED ON LOITERING CHARGE AFTER POLICE RAID

Fines ranging from \$5 to \$50 and costs were imposed by Municipal Judge E. Dawson Smith Monday afternoon in disposing of 14 cases of the remaining fourteen of eighteen colored men and women arrested by police in a raid on a disorderly house at 10 Railroad St. over the week-end.

Three Negroes, one a woman, charged with operating the place, were each fined \$50 and costs. They are Albert O. Hayes, 48, Mattie Sparks, 24, and Jasper Roun, 25.

Hayes, earlier in the day, had been fined \$300 and costs for possessing liquor and sent to jail.

Eleven others against whom loitering charges were filed, drew fines of \$5 and costs and were ordered to pay the assessments in ten days or go to jail. Those fined are: Mildred Rice,



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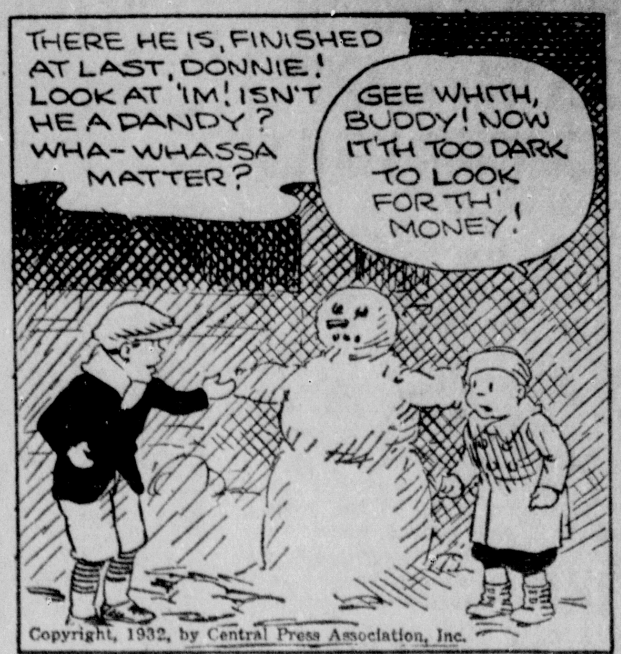
Travis Banton, fashion designer for Paramount, says spring styles will continue to emphasize women's shoulders and the waist-line goes up. He predicts smart clothes will be less showy as a gesture to the times. But beneath the air of simplicity there'll be elegance of small detail.

Universal has bought Conan Doyle's story, "The Lost Express" and will make a serial out of it this year. Incidentally, the serial business picks up. If you can believe Universal, the serial "The Indians Are Coming," grossed as much last year as any program feature.

Blondes still predominate in the year's film discoveries and Radio, it would seem, has a particular leaning in that direction. To a list which includes Constance Bennett, Ann Harding, Helen Twelvetrees,

**MALT HAS OTHER USES**  
CHICAGO—Rumors spread by overlooked, that malt is used in other products than home brew was emphasized here at the convention of the National Malt Products Manufacturers' Association. "We are not interested in prohibition, nor in the sale of malt for beverage purposes," said S. L. Goldman, secretary.

## BIG SISTER—Pleasure Before Business



By LESLIE FORGRAVE

## THE GUMPS—To The Rescue

WHAT A SIGHT MET THE CAPTAIN'S EYE AS HE GAZED THROUGH HIS GLASS—A ROW BOAT ADRIFF—MILES OUT AT SEA—AND IN IT A MAN AND A WOMAN ARE STRUGGLING—WASTE—CAPTAIN OR IT WILL BE TOO LATE—



By SIDNEY SMITH

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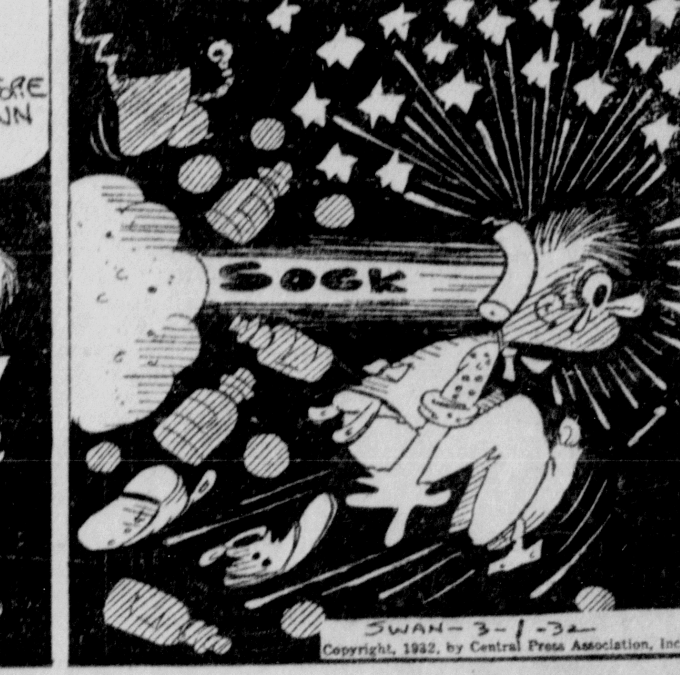
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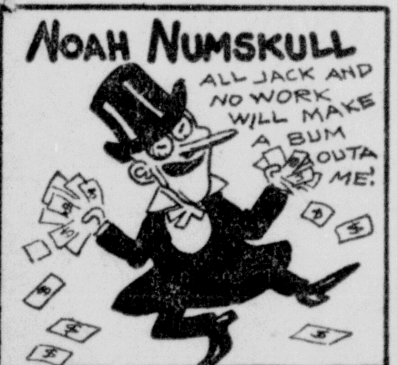


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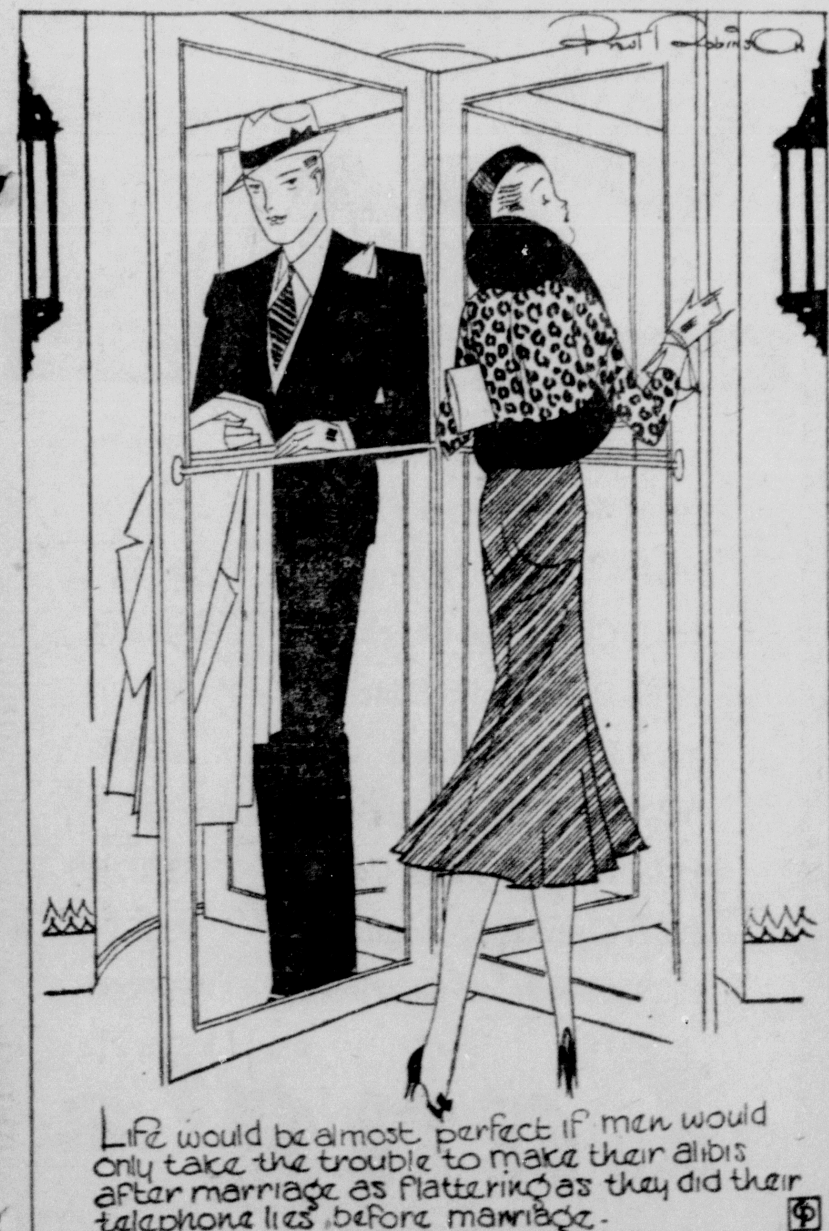
DEAR NOAH—COULD A FELLER PAINT THE TOWN RED WITH A QUART O' VERMILLION?  
JOHN KUNSMAN, FLEMINGTON, N.J.

DEAR NOAH—WOULD YOU ADVISE A MILK MAID TO USE ROUGE BECAUSE SHE'S A PAUL GIRL?  
BOB LAMBETH, DENTON, N.C.

DEAR NOAH—WHY DOES RED SOAP MAKE WHITE LATHER?  
RUBIE E. CLARK, TENDIN AN IDEA, TOLEDO, OHIO.

Often a person without principle draws a lot of interest.

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Gwili Andree and Phyllis Claire, the studio now adds Julie Haydon, 22-year-old stage actress who has just appeared in "Symphony of Six Million" for RKO. She had little previous film experience. She has played on the stage in stock and with Mrs. Fiske in "Mrs. Bumstead-Loigh." She will be groomed for leads.

An unfortunate accident robs Karen Morley of the chance to play the heroine in "Night Court." She sprained her ankle and the picture can't wait for her. Anita Page will step into the vacant part. Lewis Stone has been added to the cast to play Justice Osgood, who is murdered in the cause of cleaning out court corruption. The story is by Mark Hellinger and Charles Beahan.

Harold Lloyd's new comedy, as yet untitled, is slated to start this week at United Artists. Kenneth Thompson has been engaged to play a Hollywood leading man in the film and Constance Cummings will be opposite Harold.

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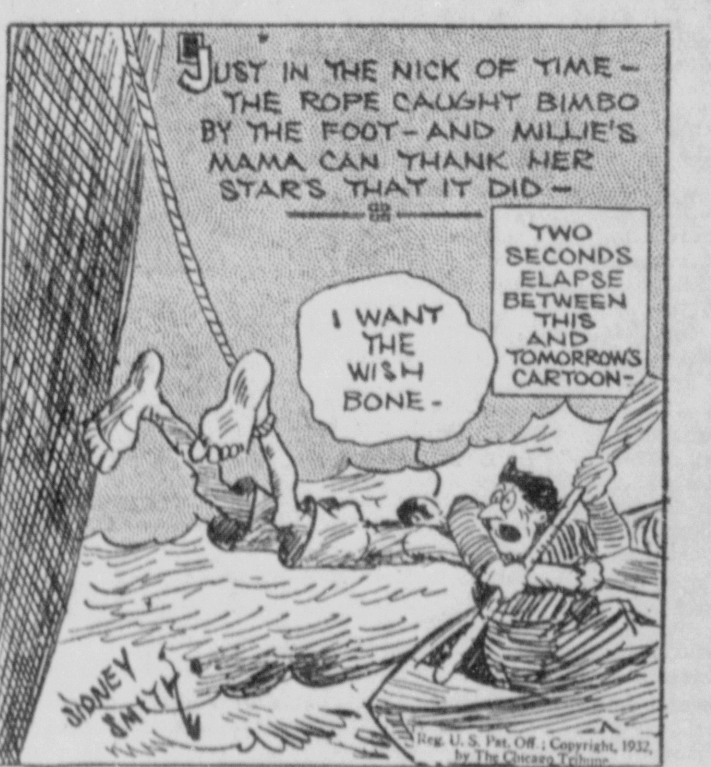
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FORD PREPARING TO WAGE WAR AGAINST ECONOMIC STATUS

To Throw Resources Into Revival Of Business

NEW YORK, March 1. — Henry Ford has decided to wage grim and relentless warfare against the present economic conditions. The automobile manufacturer, weary of waiting for prosperity to come around that well-known corner, is prepared to lend a helping hand by throwing the whole of his vast resources into what he hopes will be an industrial revival.

He will make no concessions in the way of easier sales terms, still believing that the best way to buy an automobile is to pay cash. He hopes to have 100,000 men working in his Detroit plant along by July. He anticipates a possible production program of 1,500,000 cars a year and has already provided himself with material sufficient to carry out such a program.

This new and rather startling Ford program was announced today via long distance telephone by William J. Cameron, one of the officials of the Ford organization.

He said that Ford was prepared "to risk everything we've got to start an industrial revival."

Cameron said that Ford estimated that his program will call for an expenditure of \$300,000,000 in Detroit and Michigan alone for raw and fabricated materials as well as labor. This will mean that thousands now unemployed will be able to attach themselves to the Ford payroll.

Beginning immediately \$52,000,000 a month will be spent in the United States for raw material and manufactured parts.

Cameron quoted the aggressive head of the largest automobile concern in the world as saying: "before long we expect to be making from 5,000 to 6,000 cars a day. This will come gradually but by the summer our increased production program should be in full swing."

HUSBAND AND WIFE SEEK DIVORCE IN TWO ACTIONS FILED

Suits for divorce were filed simultaneously in Common Pleas Court of Greene County by Dr. William M. Henry, Jamestown veterinarian, and by his wife, M. Eloise Henry in the Montgomery County courts, last week, but the husband was the first to be served with a summons and the divorce action of his wife will probably be tried first.

Henry, in his suit, charged his wife with cruelty and neglect of duty, declaring she left home December 28 last and has been rooming at 211 Linwood St., Dayton. She could not be located at that address.

The couple was married November 9, 1912. There are two children, Donald M., 18, and Dale C., 15.

Seeking to be awarded custody of the children, the husband asks that his wife be barred of dower interest in his property, including residence property in Jamestown, a farm of ninety-eight acres in Jefferson Twp., farm of 73.80 acres in Ross Twp., one-half interest in a 266-acre farm in Wayne Twp., Clinton County, five acre truck farm in Clinton County, business building and a small dwelling in New Vienna.

Henry's wife brought a divorce action in the Greene County courts less than two months ago, but the case was later dismissed.

PLANT CLOSED

The Southwestern Portland Cement Co. plant at Osborn closed down indefinitely, Tuesday, and will reopen, company officials said, when business conditions warrant. The plant regularly employs about 150 workers and twenty-five or thirty employees will be retained during the period the plant is shut down, it was announced.

\$5,000 For This One



This little animal is said to be valued at \$5,000! A genuine Andean Chinchilla, one of the few in North America, was brought 8,000 miles from the South American mountains to the Rocky mountain region under the care of W. L. Weaver of Idaho Falls, Idaho. The animals, world famous for their fur, are kept in refrigerated cages while crossing the equator. Weaver now has six on his Idaho ranch.

"Over the Top" on the Chapei Front



Here are two pictures from the Shanghai front. That on the right shows Chinese soldiers advancing over the ruins of Chapei in a counter attack on the Japanese invaders. These are the men who have stubbornly resisted every attempt of the Japs to dislodge them from the battered wreckage of Chapei, gallantly holding their line in the face of attacks by air and land as well as terrific bombardments from the Jap warships in the harbor. Photo on the left shows a Chinese prisoner, suspected of sniping, tied up with wire to a post behind the Japanese lines. Soon after this picture was made the man was executed, death being the inevitable penalty meted out to civilian snipers by the Japanese.

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Osborn - Fairfield

Mrs. Elsie Barran—Correspondent Phone No. 192

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoagland and family were guests of relatives in Dayton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Galeski, Miss Victoria Galeski, Mr. Irvin Kindie, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Slusser and family were in Springfield the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Meri Stauffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Naragon of Wright Ave., entertained for their little son Donald Keller Naragon, 3 years old, with a birthday dinner Sunday. Those present were: Mayor and Mrs. W. T. Naragon, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kaercher, Miss Orlean Naragon, Miss Gladys Naragon and Mr. Floyd Naragon.

Sunday morning about 3 a. m. Osborn and Fairfield residents were awakened by the peeling of the fire bell by Marshall Shepard. Lights in all the homes were soon being switched on, windows flying open, fathers frantically hunting their wearing apparel after knowing just exactly where they took them off; then dashing to garages to get their cars to be the first ones there and on arriving find they have outdistanced their neighbor by two minutes. After enough vehicles have arrived to man the fire truck they start for the fire and it is none other than W. C. Cooper's chicken house on Central Ave. But there are chickens to be saved and so they all did their best to avoid a large loss of the feathered family. However there were fifty hens burned before the fire was under control. Thanks to the men who always so willingly leave their beds to be a help to their neighbor when in distress.

Miss Victoria Galeski of Grand Ave. was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Slusser of Fairfield Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Bingham of Detroit Michigan are the guests of their daughter of Xenia Drive, Osborn.

The regular meeting of the Bath

CLIFTON

The birthday of Mr. H. R. Corry was celebrated last Tuesday by a noon dinner at his home at which his brothers and sisters were guests. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Corry and Mrs. Ida Currie and daughter of Springfield, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Corry, Mr. Frank Corry and Mrs. Alta Jobe, of Yellow Springs.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid will meet Wednesday afternoon, March 2 at the home of Mrs. Charles Stevenson, Mrs. A. E. Swaby will be assistant hostess.

Mr. Alfred E. Swaby arrived home Monday from a three weeks' trip to Miami, Fla. He and his nephew, Ralph Swaby of St. Charles, Ill., made the trip by motor to visit their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Delno, who have a residence on one of the Florida keys. He reports thrilling experiences in deep sea fishing and a hunting trip to the Everglades.

The United Presbyterian prayer meeting will be held this week, Wednesday at 8 p. m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Rife.

Mrs. Chester Swaby is recovering from an operation for appendicitis at McClellan Hospital, Xenia.

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XENIA GARDEN CLUB INVITED TO ATTEND MEETING IN DAYTON

The Xenia Garden Club and Greene County garden lovers have a special invitation to attend the annual Dayton garden meeting, says Miss Ruth Radford, home demonstration agent. The program as received at the home demonstration office is as follows:

The 1932 Garden School will be held March 4 at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium, 117 W. Monument Ave., and the program has been outlined as follows:

9:30 — "Beautifying the Yard Places," Prof. V. H. Reis. 10:00 — "Garden Pests and Their Control," Prof. V. H. Reis. 10:30 — "European Gardens" (Illustrated), George Steinhilber. 11:30 — "Shrubs and Evergreens for all Year Effects," Prof. V. H. Reis.

12:30 — Lunch. 1:30 — "Garden Clinic," Prof. V. H. Reis. 2:30 — "Planted Homes are Happy Homes," C. E. Kern, nurseryman. 3:30 — "Common Plant Families You Should Know," Prof. V. H. Reis.

Due to individual tastes and pocketbooks, this year luncheon will be served in the Y. M. C. A. cafeteria for all desiring it, without reservations in advance.

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ORPHIUM

TONIGHT—Last Time To See This Wonderful Picture "PLATINUM BLONDE" With JEAN HARLOW, LORETTA YOUNG, ROBERT WILLIAMS Also "STRANGE AS IT SEEMS" and Pathe News WEDNESDAY—THURSDAY, MATINEES 2:15 'MORALS FOR WOMEN' With Bessie Love - Conway Tearle Also Slim Summerville and Daphne Pollard 2-reel comedy and Pathe News.

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NAME NEW MEMBERS OF ELECTION BOARD FOR GREENE COUNTY

Appointments of two new members of the Board of Elections of Greene County for four-year terms were announced by Clarence J. Brown, secretary of state, Tuesday. Darrell Kline, Osborn, formerly of Bowersville, was named as a new Republican board member, succeeding Joseph Conklin, New Burlington Pike, whose term expired.

Harry C. Sohn, Xenia druggist, is the new Democratic member, replacing James Jones, Beaver Creek Twp., who had served two consecutive terms.

Erskine M. Winter, Xenia, had been appointed a Republican board member more than a month ago to fill the unexpired term of Walton Spahr, Xenia, chief deputy sheriff, who resigned. Spahr had two more years to serve.

Mrs. Bess Robinson, Jamestown, Democrat, a hold-over member, is the only survivor of the turnover in the board's personnel.

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FITZGERALD WILL ADDRESS CLUB

Roy G. Fitzgerald, of Dayton, ex-congressman, will give an address on "George Washington" at a meeting of the National Sojourners at Wright Field Tuesday evening. Pictures will be shown in connection with the talk.

The National Sojourners is a patriotic society of officers of the national defense, who are Masons. H. S. Bagley, Osborn, is president of the society. A. F. Wentzel, Dayton, is secretary and Louis K. S. Snee, Fairfield, is chairman of the program committee.

HANCHETT RESIGNS PLACE AT ANTIOCH

David S. Hanchett, head of the personnel department of Antioch College, Yellow Springs, for the last eight years, has resigned, effective the latter part of June at the close of the school year, he announced Monday. At that time Mr. Hanchett will go to New York City where he has accepted a position with the Fieldston School.

Before coming to Antioch Mr. Hanchett was associated with a group of workers, who now operate the Fieldston School, which is a cooperative educational school for children from kindergarten to junior college age. Mr. Hanchett plans to move with his family to New York when he assumes his new position.

CEDARVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin McMillan and son John and brother-in-law Mr. George McCullough spent the week end in Cleveland with relatives.

Dr. Harold Ray entertained the Cabot Club, composed of a number of physicians in the county at his home Tuesday evening. There was a business meeting and discussion of important topics of direct interest to the medical fraternity. Refreshments were served.

The Golden Rule Class of the Methodist Episcopal Church held its class party at the home of Mrs. C. E. Masters Thursday night. About thirty-five were in attendance.

Miss Kathryn Saunders, director of music in the Orrville, O., schools spent a few days the past week with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Allen.

Mrs. Emma Stewart had for her guests, a few days last week, her

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# FORD PREPARING TO WAGE WAR AGAINST ECONOMIC STATUS

To Throw Resources Into Revival Of Business

NEW YORK, March 1. — Henry Ford has decided to wage grim and relentless warfare against the present economic conditions. The automobile manufacturer, weary of waiting for prosperity to come around that well-known corner, is prepared to lend a helping hand by throwing the whole of his vast resources into what he hopes will be an industrial revival.

He will make no concessions in the way of easier sales terms, still believing that the best way to buy an automobile is to pay cash. He hopes to have 100,000 men working in his Detroit plant along by July. He anticipates a possible production program of 1,500,000 cars a year and has already provided himself with material sufficient to carry out such a program.

This new and rather startling Ford program was announced today via long distance telephone by William J. Cameron, one of the officials of the Ford organization.

He said that Ford was prepared "to risk everything we've got to start an industrial revival."

Cameron said that Ford estimated that his program will call for an expenditure of \$200,000,000 in Detroit and Michigan alone for raw and fabricated materials as well as labor. This will mean that thousands now unemployed will be able to attach themselves to the Ford payroll.

Beginning immediately \$52,000,000 a month will be spent in the United States for raw material and manufactured parts.

Cameron quoted the aggressive head of the largest automobile concern in the world as saying: "before long we expect to be making from 5,000 to 6,000 cars a day. This will come gradually but by the summer our increased production program should be in full swing."

# HUSBAND AND WIFE SEEK DIVORCE IN TWO ACTIONS FILED

Suits for divorce were filed simultaneously in Common Pleas Court of Greene County by Dr. William M. Henry, Jamestown veterinarian, and by his wife, M. Eloise Henry, in the Montgomery County courts, last week, but the husband was the first to be served with a summons and the divorce action of his wife will probably be tried first.

Henry, in his suit, charged his wife with cruelty and neglect of duty, declaring she left home December 28 last and has been rooming at 211 Linwood St., Dayton. She could not be located at that address.

The couple was married November 9, 1912. There are two children, Donald M., 18, and Dale C., 15.

Seeking to be awarded custody of the children, the husband asks that his wife be barred of dower interest in his property, including residence property in Jamestown, a farm of ninety-eight acres in Jefferson Twp., farm of 73.80 acres in Ross Twp., one-half interest in a 266-acre farm in Wayne Twp., Clinton County, five acre truck farm in Clinton County, business building and a small dwelling in New Vienna.

Henry's wife brought a divorce action in the Greene County courts less than two months ago, but the case was later dismissed.

# PLANT CLOSED

The Southwestern Portland Cement Co. plant at Osborn closed down indefinitely, Tuesday, and will reopen, company officials said, when business conditions warrant. The plant regularly employs about 150 workers and twenty-five or thirty employees will be retained during the period the plant is shut down, it was announced.

# \$5,000 For This One



This little animal is said to be valued at \$5,000! A genuine Andean Chinchilla, one of the few in North America, was brought 8,000 miles from the South American mountains to the Rocky mountain region under the care of W. L. Weaver of Idaho Falls, Idaho. The animals, world famous for their fur, are kept in refrigerated cages while crossing the equator. Weaver now has six on his Idaho ranch.

# "Over the Top" on the Chapei Front



Here are two pictures from the Shanghai front. That on the right shows Chinese soldiers advancing over the ruins of Chapei in a counter attack on the Japanese invaders. These are the men who have stubbornly resisted every attempt of the Japs to dislodge them from the battered wreckage of Chapei, gallantly holding their line in the face of at-

tacks by air and land as well as terrific bombardments from the Jap warships in the harbor. Photo on the left shows a Chinese prisoner, suspected of sniping, tied up with wire to a post behind the Japanese lines. Soon after this picture was made the man was executed, death being the inevitable penalty meted out to civilian snipers by the Japanese.

# Osborn - Fairfield

Mrs. Elsie Barran—Correspondent Phone No. 192

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoagland and family were guests of relatives in Dayton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Galeski, Miss Victoria Galeski, Mr. Irvin Kindie, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Slusser and family were in Springfield the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Meri Stauffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Naragon of Wright Ave., entertained for their little son Donald Keller Naragon, 3 years old, with a birthday dinner Sunday. Those present were: Mayor and Mrs. W. T. Naragon, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kaercher, Miss Orlean Naragon, Miss Gladys Naragon, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Naragon.

Sunday morning about 3 a. m. Osborn and Fairfield residents were awakened by the peeling of the fire bell by Marshall Shepherd. Lights in all the homes were soon being switched on, windows flying open, fathers frantically hunting their wearing apparel after knowing just exactly where they took them off, then dashing to garages to get their cars to be the first ones there and on arriving find they have outdistanced their neighbor by two minutes. After enough volunteers have arrived to man the fire truck they start for the fire and it is none other than W. C. Cooper's chicken house on Central Ave. But there are chickens to be saved and so they all did their best to avoid a large loss of the feathered family. However there were fifty hens burned before the fire was under control. Thanks to the men who always so willingly leave their beds to be a help to their neighbor when in distress.

Miss Victoria Galeski of Grand Ave. was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Slusser of Fairfield Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. C. Bingham of Detroit Michigan are the guests of their daughter of Xenia Drive, Osborn.

The regular meeting of the Bath

# CLIFTON

The birthday of Mr. H. R. Corry was celebrated last Tuesday by a noon dinner at his home at which his brothers and sisters were guests. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Corry and Mrs. Ida Currie and daughter of Springfield, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Corry, Mr. Frank Corry and Mrs. Alta Jobe, of Yellow Springs.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid will meet Wednesday afternoon, March 2 at the home of Mrs. Charles Stevenson, Mrs. A. E. Swaby will be assistant hostess.

Mr. Alfred E. Swaby arrived home Monday from a three weeks' trip to Miami, Fla. He and his nephew, Ralph Swaby of St. Charles, Ill., made the trip by motor to visit their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Delno, who have a residence on one of the Florida keys. He reports thrilling experiences in deep sea fishing and a hunting trip to the Everglades.

The United Presbyterian prayer meeting will be held this week, Wednesday at 8 p. m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Rife.

Mrs. Chester Swaby is recovering from an operation for appendicitis at McClellan Hospital, Xenia.

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# XENIA GARDEN CLUB INVITED TO ATTEND MEETING IN DAYTON

The Xenia Garden Club and Greene County garden lovers have a special invitation to attend the annual Dayton garden meeting, says Miss Ruth Radford, home demonstration agent. The program as received at the home demonstration office is as follows:

The 1932 Garden School will be held March 4 at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium, 117 W. Monument Ave., and the program has been outlined as follows:

9:30 — "Beautifying the Shady Places," Prof. V. H. Reis.

10:00 — "Garden Pests and Their Control," Prof. V. H. Reis.

10:30 — "European Gardens" (Illustrated), George Siebenhaler.

11:30 — "Shrubs and Evergreens for all Year Effects," Prof. V. H. Reis.

12:30 — Lunch.

1:30 — "Garden Clinic," Prof. V. H. Reis.

2:30 — "Planted Homes are Happy Homes," C. E. Kern, nurseryman.

3:30 — "Common Plant Families You Should Know," Prof. V. H. Reis.

Due to individual tastes and pocketbooks, this year luncheon will be served in the Y. M. C. A. cafeteria for all desiring it, without reservations in advance.

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# NAME NEW MEMBERS OF ELECTION BOARD FOR GREENE COUNTY

Appointments of two new members of the Board of Elections of Greene County for four-year terms were announced by Clarence J. Brown, secretary of state, Tuesday.

Darrell Kline, Osborn, formerly of Bowersville, was named as a new Republican board member, succeeding Joseph Conklin, New Burlington Pike, whose term expired.

Harry C. Sohn, Xenia druggist, is the new Democratic member, replacing James Jones, Beaver Creek Twp., who had served two consecutive terms.

Erskine M. Winter, Xenia, had been appointed a Republican board member more than a month ago to fill the unexpired term of Walton Spahr, Xenia, chief deputy sheriff, who resigned. Spahr had two more years to serve.

Mrs. Bess Robinson, Jamestown, Democrat, a hold-over member, is the only survivor of the turnover in the board's personnel.

The four-year terms of Kline and Sohn were effective March 1. They had the endorsement of their respective party organizations in this county.

# FITZGERALD WILL ADDRESS CLUB

Roy G. Fitzgerald, of Dayton, ex-congressman, will give an address on "George Washington" at a meeting of the National Sojourners at Wright Field Tuesday evening. Pictures will be shown in connection with the talk.

The National Sojourners is a patriotic society of officers of the national defense, who are Masons.

H. S. Bagley, Osborn, is president of the society. A. F. Wentzel, Dayton, is secretary and Lieut. K. S. Siles, Fairfield, is chairman of the program committee.

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Before coming to Antioch Mr. Hanchett was associated with a group of workers, who now operate the Fieldston School, which is a cooperative educational school for children from kindergarten to junior college age. Mr. Hanchett plans to move with his family to New York when he assumes his new position.

# CEDARVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin McMillan and son John and brother-in-law Mr. George McCullough spent the week end in Cleveland with relatives.

Dr. Harold Ray entertained the Cabot Club, composed of a number of physicians in the county at his home Tuesday evening. There was a business meeting and discussion of important topics of direct interest to the medical fraternity. Refreshments were served.

The Golden Rule Class of the Methodist Episcopal Church held its class party at the home of Mrs. C. E. Masters Thursday night. About thirty-five were in attendance.

Miss Kathryn Saunders, director of music in the Greenville, O. schools, spent a few days the past week with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Allen.

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